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WATER SERVICE RESUMED TODAY

PUMPS STARTED LAST NIGHT—NORMAL PRESSURE ON NOW.

TEST OF MAINS MADE DELAY IN THE SUPPLY

Fear of Leakage in Pipes Caused Superintendent to Hold Reserve—To Repair Wall Soon.

The water is on today!

Pumping at the municipal water plant was resumed at 10 o'clock last night after a shut down since 4 o'clock Tuesday morning, when the lower part of the south wall caved in, allowing the pump pit and boiler room to fill with surface water.

The stand pipe and mains over town were filled this morning, and nearly normal service was resumed this afternoon all over the city. The fact that about half of the water had been removed from the stand pipe before the service could be shut off Tuesday morning, and all mains had been drained by patrons after the supply was shut off Tuesday, delayed much in getting regular service resumed today.

The pumps were kept working continually last night after they were started and part of the morning before the mains and stand pipe could be filled, so that water could be gotten in all parts of town.

Repair Wall of Plant.

Persons living in the lower parts of town, where the fall was greatest from the stand pipe were enabled thereby to get water before those uptown or the west and north portion of the city.

Although the surface water was removed sufficiently to get the pumps to working again by 11 o'clock last night, a force of men are still kept busy at the plant today, to keep more seepage water from flowing in on the pumps.

The south wall was supported by timbers last night and this morning. Permanent repair of the wall will probably not be made for several days, however, at least not until the pumping plant is thoroughly cleaned out and the surface water is drained from around the building.

The gaps in the reservoir were filled with sacks of sand yesterday and further repairs on it is being continued today.

While the water supply was cut off wells over town were in great demand, and tubs, boilers, barrels and what-not were kept filled with water by residents.

A Dirty Mess at Plant.

One will see a rather dirty "mess" in a visit to the water plant today—in fact, more so than while the water filled the lower part of the plant. In the pump pit there still remains from six to eight inches of slime, composed of dirt, trash, grease and oil, while nearly a full barrel of lubricating oil floated off its stand in the boiler room, with the inrush of water Tuesday, and spilled its contents over the surface.

When the water went down it left the oil sticking to the walls and over the boiler and floor.

Superintendent J. H. Martin this morning said this mess would be cleaned up as soon as the plant was gotten to working better. At present the water to the city is being pumped direct from the sand point system to the stand pipe with the old pump, which is about 30 years old and has not been used since the new big pump was installed.

Tried Out Mains First.

Before the big pump can be gotten to working, the vacuum pump, which is an auxiliary to the big one, must be cleaned of the slime which almost covers it, and perhaps several repairs made to it on account of its delicacy.

The reason why folks uptown were not able to get water "right off the bat" last night and this morning, even after the pump was started, was because Superintendent Martin took the wise precaution to keep the supply in the stand pipe shut up until all the eleven or twelve miles of mains had been tried out for breaks or leaks, on account of the floods.

Although it has been found no mains were damaged by the floods and rains, several were left exposed, after the dirt was washed off of them, making them liable to damage.

MAKE AUTO TRIP TO ST. JOSEPH.

E. H. Bainum Returns at Noon Today After Continuous Driving Since 9 a. m. Yesterday.

E. H. Bainum, who headed an auto party of twenty-one to St. Joseph yesterday, returned to Maryville at noon today, bringing with him Harvey L. Haines, Frank Murray and J. L. Pendergast, who had been delayed in St. Joseph since the beginning of the flood. Mr. Bainum, accompanied by drivers from the bus company, started at 9 o'clock yesterday morning with one of the large busses, a Cadillac and a Ford car, loaded with traveling men who had been marooned in Maryville. They arrived in Savannah at 4 o'clock, where part of the travelers were left and the rest taken on to St. Joseph.

They left St. Joseph late last night on the return trip and traveled continuously all night, arriving in Maryville at noon today.

Name Ross Administrator.

John F. Roelofson, public administrator, was appointed administrator in probate court today of the estate of Levi T. Ross, who died here March 5.

BURLINGTON MAY RUN TRAIN SOON

EXPECT TO GET TRAIN HERE FROM NORTH TONIGHT.

WABASH SERVICE TIED UP; MAY OPEN SUNDAY

Local Agent Ignorant of Conditons on Line—Work Train Gets to Junction—Villisca Branch Out.

Bulletin.

An effort will be made to get the southbound Burlington passenger train No. 3 down to Maryville from Creston late this afternoon or tonight, W. E. Goforth, local agent, reported at 3:30 o'clock.

Maryville will be without train service on the Burlington until tomorrow morning and on the Wabash at least until Sunday, according to local agents, even though the rivers over the county are over the danger period, it is believed, despite last night's rain. An effort is being made by the Burlington repair force to get the line to the north open late tonight or early tomorrow morning.

In this case, No. 5 can be operated through to Maryville tomorrow morning, though maybe not on schedule time. But no service to the south over the Burlington will be possible for several days, it is feared, as much track is washed out entirely or badly damaged.

A work train is being operated from this direction towards Pickering, where the damage was greatest, while another is working south from Hopkins. It is believed by W. E. Goforth, local agent, that the line between Maryville and Pickering will be repaired before that between Hopkins and Pickering is in order, so that should a train be able to reach Pickering it could easily come to Maryville.

Hurry to Resume Service.

A work train came down as far as Pickering last night, but it had to virtually creep along, over soft roadbed. The repair to the north is being supervised by Trainmaster W. F. Shiffer, Roadmaster W. R. Wires and W. H. Dentle, superintendent of bridges and buildings, all of Creston. They came to Maryville this morning on the work train for supplies, but returned.

There is no likelihood of service to the south over the Burlington for some time, as much damage has been done. The river is still over much track, so that the real damage cannot be ascertained yet.

Below Arkoe the track is in the 102 river, while not even the girders can be observed on the bridge below Arkoe, Mr. Goforth has learned. In one place near there the track is thrown out of line and against the right-of-way fence with the telegraph line beneath it. This cuts off all telegraph service to the south, so that nothing can be learned of conditions at Barnard or other towns to the south.

Wabash Expects Long Tie-Up.

The Villisca branch also is out yet, except that partial train service is be-

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CUTS MEAT SUPPLY

TRAIN ANNULMENT THREATENS TO REDUCE STOCK HERE.

NO BUTTER IN TOWN

Maryville Out of Creamery Product—Hurry Up Goods by Train to Hopkins—Cured Meats Scarce.

A shortage of meats, butter, and maybe bread, faces Maryville today as a result of the annulment of all trains into Maryville and inability to get supplies in by other means today.

The supply of creamery butter held by Maryville merchants became exhausted last night and none can be secured today except a very little country butter. Orders have been placed jointly by several merchants of the city for a supply of butter on the Burlington from the north, but it is not expected to reach here before tomorrow.

A conveyance may be operated to Pickering or Hopkins late this afternoon to bring the food supply back to Maryville, if it is sent down on the southbound train this afternoon, as normal service is resumed on the Burlington as far south as Hopkins.

Have Fresh Meat Yet.

The supply of cured meats also is virtually exhausted by merchants, though local butchers and meat markets report enough fresh meats, especially of pork and beef, to last through today and maybe tomorrow, even if no more live stock is brought in.

E. L. Townsend of the Townsend company ordered a supply of cured meats from Ottumwa yesterday. It was brought as far as Hopkins by train, but on account of being unable to get it further, Mr. Townsend turned the supply over to merchants there.

Mr. Townsend also said he had two car loads of flour held up at St. Joseph and two more cars on the way from the mills, but where it is he does not know. The flour supply in the city will last through this week, though, so that no flour or bread supply is anticipated.

There is plenty of sugar, coffee and such other foods to keep the town supplied until normal train service is resumed.

PLAN FOR HEATING PLANT

Normal Regents to Ask Soon for Bids on Improvement—Prepare Specifications.

Plans and specifications for the direct radiation heating system to be installed in the Normal building this year, are now being prepared, according to President Ira Richardson today. Bids for the work will be advertised for within a few days.

Ten days time will then be given for the receipt of bids, after which the contract for the improvement will probably be awarded. The system is estimated to cost $14,000. The legislature last winter appropriated that fund.

HAS RAINED 14 1-2 INCHES

July Precipitation Heaviest on Record—Adds 1.38 Inches Last Night Makes 38 Inches.

The clear skies of yesterday, after the heaviest rain in twenty years this week, did not last long. At 8 o'clock last night a bank of clouds began working up slowly from the northwest amid lightning. The sky soon become overcast with clouds and people uptown to attend the band concert and cool off from the sultry heat, quickly scampered for home, well knowing the traits being played this year by Jupiter Pluvius.

But the drops of rain did not begin to fall until a few minutes before midnight. When they came, however, they came thick and fast and when the gong sounded at J. R. Brink's house at 7 o'clock this morning Jupe had let out 1.38 inches of the moisture. About .02 of an inch fell after that hour.

This brings the total rainfall for the first half of July up to 14.48 inches. This is the heaviest in that time or even a whole month since the bureau was established here twenty years ago.

The total rainfall now for the first six and one-half months of 1915 is just thirty-eight inches or about the normal fall for an entire year. At this rate, northwest Missouri is due to be dry for the next half-year.

The ladies of St. Patrick's church will hold a market at Bower's hardware store Saturday, July 17, where home-made bread, cake and pies can be had for Sunday dinner. 14-16

TO BOOSTERS 10-9

CLEARMONT LED 6-0, BUT MARYVILLE SNEAKED UP FROM REAR.

WAS STEADY ADVANCE

Locals Changed Pitchers, Then Visitors' Twirler Went Up, Turning Tables—Lonnie Adams, Hero.

Defeat was quickly turned into victory yesterday afternoon when Lonnie Adams succeeded Vaughn as pitcher for the Maryville Boosters in the second inning of the game with the Clearmont team at the Normal grounds, and as a result the locals won 10 to 9. It looked like, and really was, a walkaway for the visitors until the change of twirlers came. Up to that time Clearmont had six runs while the Boosters had nothing but goose eggs.

But it was not solely Lonnie's efforts that turned the tables. There were several other ingredients mixed into it. The Boosters appeared to tighten up with the change, make less errors and hit and field a trifle better. Then, too, Cox of Hopkins, pitching for Clearmont, began to go up, and he had to be pulled in the last half of the fifth inning.

Was Not a Classy Game.

The game was not a real good one, even though Maryville did win. There appeared to be a lack of "pep" among the players and team work was not anything to chronicle in red head lines. Besides, management was rather lax and squabbles and arguments between players and umpire occurred three times.

Clearmont continued in the lead, despite the change in the second inning, until the last half of the seventh, when Maryville got two scores, thereby tying up the game. It continued tied until the last half of the ninth, when Ed Adams brought in the winning run and the game was stopped with none down.

The playing of George Palfreyman, coach, on shortstop, both in fielding and batting and base running, was highly creditable yesterday, as also was the work of Lonnie Adams on the mound. He struck out nine men and allowed five hits, all singles but one. He allowed but one single after the fifth inning.

How the Runs Came.

Clearmont began piling up its share of the scores right off the reel. The first man was fanned by Vaughn, but the next two got singles, the third got on through error and the fifth man was walked. Each scored, thereby making it four to nothing. Two more got on that inning but they died on the sacks.

They continued the scoring in the second inning, by bringing in Benthiene and Newlon, both on hits.

With the score standing 6 to 0 Maryville went to bat in the last of the third with renewed hope through the box change, and made four runs. Wray, first up, got a single, Lonnie Adams followed with a ditto, Palfreyman flew out, Finch got a single, Ed Adams was walked, Scott got a single, Moore sacrificed and Wogan died trying to get to first.

Out of all this, Wray, Lonnie Adams, Finch and Ed Adams circled the bases and received the ovation of the 300 fans at the home plate.

Kept Up Lucky Streak.

They continued the lucky streak in the next inning, and Still and Palfreyman received the crown of glory, but neither earned their runs. Ed Adams followed up this luck in the fifth inning by another unearned run, thereby making the score stand seven for Maryville.

But in the meantime, look what happened. Clearmont went scoreless in the third and fourth innings, but in the fifth, piled up three runs, making it 9 to 7 in their favor. From then on they didn't have a chance, and it was only how soon will Maryville overtake the lead, that the fans puzzled over.

The score was nearly evened up in the seventh, when Ed Adams and Scott, the first two men up, went around the diamond on unearned runs, the next three men died in quick succession, none reaching first.

Clearmont changed its lineup considerably in the fifth inning, while only the change in pitchers in the second was made by Maryville. One mar of the game came in the ninth inning, when Davis of the Clearmont team got bumped by Charles Moore, playing first, and had to be carried from the field.

The Lineup.

The lineup of the two teams was: Clearmont—Newlon, 2b; Cunning and Benthiene, 3b; L. Watson and Pence, 1b; Russell, lf; Davis and Watson, ss; Cox and Cunning, p; Ab Watson and Benthiene, cf; Sargent, c; Brownfield and Benthiene, rf.

Maryville—Palfreyman, ss; Finch, 3b; Ed Adams, lf; Scott, cf; Moore, 1b; Wogan, c; Still, 2b; Wray, rf; Vaughn and Lonnie Adams, p.

The Boosters will play Tarkio here next Thursday afternoon, and an effort is now being made to get the Oregon team here for next Tuesday afternoon to play a postponed game. Oregon was to have played here last Tuesday but was unable to get here.

The score:

		R.	H.	E.
Clearmont	4 2 0 0 3 0 0 0 0	9	11	3
Maryville	0 0 4 2 1 0 2 0 1	10	12	5

FARM HOUSE BURNED.

Lightning Sets Fire to Home of Walter Mitchell, Near Parnell.

The house on the farm of Walter Mitchell, two miles northeast of Parnell, was burned during the storm of Tuesday.

The building was struck by lightning and set on fire. The total damage to house and contents was about $1,200, with $500 insurance. Just before the bolt of lightning struck the house the family had gone into the cave for shelter.

COUNTY RIVERS ON SLOW RISE AGAIN

RAIN LAST NIGHT STOPS FALL—102 RECEDES HERE.

RISING AT HOPKINS AND PICKERING NOW

Expect River Will Begin Going Up East of Town Tonight—Bridge Damage Grows.

Conditions over Nodaway county have improved but little since yesterday, according to reports received by The Democrat-Forum from towns throughout the county. Although the Nodaway, 102 and Platte rivers were each falling slightly yesterday, except in the south end of the county, another rise is now on in the north part, through the rains last night.

The 102 river was rising at Hopkins and also at Pickering early this afternoon, but was still falling slowly at the municipal water plant, east of Maryville. Evidently the rise will be resumed here late this afternoon or tonight. The river is still out much at Barnard and Arkoe and has fallen but little.

The Platte river was rising again this afternoon at Parnell and other towns in the north part, though falling at Conception Junction. It now is just about at its record height earlier in the week.

Rain Heavier to North.

The Nodaway river also is rising again this afternoon, from the effects of the rain last night, which was heavier to the north than it was at Maryville.

Bedford reports a fall of about two inches last night, while Hopkins had about the same fall that Maryville had. The fall nowhere within the water sheds exceeded three inches, it is said, so that the rise now on from the effects of last night's rain is not expected to go much higher.

The report of more bridges and culverts being out or damaged and roadways rendered impassable over the county continues to come in, with the indications that the county will be hit worse than ever in history in this way.

W. M. Blackford, presiding judge of the county court, will take a force of workmen out this afternoon to try to replace the steel bridge over the headwater of the Wildcat near Thomas Hughes' corner, north of town. Another force will be taken tomorrow or Monday to the Caldwell corner, near Burlington Junction to repair damage.

Bottom Lands Still Flooded.

At Hopkins the 102 river, which was much lower and less than two-thirds bank full last night has been steadily rising since morning and at noon was bank full. The rainfall at that point

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PEACE SENTIMENT IN GERMANY GAINS

LONDON BELIEVES KAISER MAKES PROPOSALS THROUGH U. S.

FEELING GROWS THAT TEUTONS WOULD STOP

Financial News Exploits Reports from German Sources That America is Center for Propositions.

By American Press.

London, July 16.—There is a feeling gaining ground in London today that the peace sentiment in Germany is finding an official outlet. The Financial News displays with great prominence reports from quarters said to be in close touch with German sources of information that Germany is making "tentative peace proposals" through the United States.

GERMAN PLUNGER IS SUNK

Submarine U-51 Downed by Russian Warship Fire in Black Sea, Bulgaria Reports.

By American Press.

London, July 16.—According to information received from Varna, a Bulgarian port on the Black sea, the German submarine U51 has been sunk in the Black sea by Russian warships.

PLOT POWDER PLANT WRECK?

Believe Explosion of Kentucky Works, Which Cost 4 Lives, Was Directed By Outside Agencies.

By American Press.

Louisville, Ky., July 16.—The circumstances attending the explosion Monday afternoon that caused the complete wrecking of the plant of the United States Safety Powder company, near Louisville, and the loss of four lives has led to the belief that it may have been directed by outside agencies.

An exhaustive investigation of the causes of the blast has been ordered by the board of directors in an effort to determine whether it was the work of a far-reaching organization. Since the beginning of the war in Europe, and until about a month ago, the plant has been under lease to a Canadian company manufacturing high explosives.

GET $13,000 STOLEN MONEY

Government Arrests Former Postal Clerk for Theft in Idaho, December, 1913—Confesses.

By American Press.

San Francisco, Cal., July 16.—Government officials have recovered thirteen thousand dollars of the amount stolen from the Wallace, Idaho, postoffice in December, 1913. Approximately twenty thousand dollars was taken.

Although federal postoffice inspectors were promptly detailed on the case and have persistently followed it up, they have not until within the last few days been able to secure evidence to justify an arrest.

Charence McDaniels, a former clerk in the office, was arrested yesterday, and it was through his confession that the money was recovered.

THE WEATHER

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Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

Walt Mason, the Kansas poet, must look to his laurels. Nodaway county has Carl Wray, and his popularity as a writer of musical prose is rapidly growing.

Time was when an inch of rain was looked upon as a great blessing.

Back in '49 there were no roads to run trains over. Cheer up.

Nodaway county is practically isolated this week, but she is in no danger of starvation.

A government astronomer has discovered that all these rains are caused by spots on the sun. Isn't it about time to get to those sun spots? Where are the gold dust twins?

Since the eugenic marriage law went into effect in Wisconsin it has been found that the number of marriages in 1914 showed a decrease of 20 per cent from the number in 1913. The secretary of the state health board thinks that the general depression in business may have had something to do with it, but the main cause of the decrease in matrimonial tie-ups is the law that requires candidates to measure up to certain specifications. It is probable that if all the states were spared a certain per cent of the marriages legalized, society would be better off.

One of the homely truths attributed to Champ Clark is the following: "It seems to me that it is a self-evident fact that it would be a good thing for everybody to try to save money to provide against old age, accident and disease." Most people recognize the truth of this, but many overlook the fact that the time to begin trying to save is while they are able to earn. The world is full of people, who have wasted thousands in early life trying to save after their earning capacity begins to decline. And it may be observed that the great extravagance from which this country suffers is not so much the desire for the things which we cannot afford ourselves as it is to maintain a parity af appearances with our neighbors and friends who have luxuries which they may or may not be able to afford.

He Couldn't Get Home.

E. E. Williams, who went to Avoca, Ia., a few days ago to act as best man at the wedding of D. J. Howell, was floodbound in Iowa uptil today, when he returned by way of Hopkins.

* STOCK MARKET *

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—12,000. Market 10c higher; top, $7.85. Estimate tomorrow, 8,000.

Sheep—5,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—2,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.50.

Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—500. Market 5c higher; top, $7.45

Sheep—None. Market steady.

OFFICE

New Location

I have changed my location from the Star barn to William Everhart's. All horses will be boarded at the Star barn.

Farmers phone 160, Hanamo phone 5.

DR. G. H. LEACH.

TO PLAY BEDFORD SUNDAY

Maryville Federals Strengthen Lineup With Nebraska League Players—"Dirty" Miller Expected.

The Maryville Federals have added three new players to the team since the game last Sunday, and are negotiating for two more, according to True Hallowell, assistant manager, today. Walter (Dirty) Miller, formerly of Maryville, is expected to arrive from Tulsa in time for the game planned here with Bedford, Ia., Sunday afternoon at Federal park. He will probably take the third sack.

Manager Cleve Funk also has secured Black, formerly of the Beatrice, Neb., state league team, and has wired for an infielder from that team, too. They are expected here in time for the game Sunday, if train service can be resumed by that time.

Miller, who formerly played league ball, was considered one of the best all-round players on the All-Stars team last season and has been making good at Tulsa. Black new man from Beatrice, also is rated good. He will probably take the center field Sunday.

The lineup for the game Sunday with Bedford will probably be: Frank Ham, p; D. Carmichael, c; Tilson, 1b; Beatrice player; 2b; Miller, 3b; Scott, ss; Morris, lf; Black, cf; Woodard, rf.

Ham, who is at Guilford, may not be able to get to Maryville for the Sunday game, in which case arrangements have been made to secure Vaughn of Burlington Junction as twirler. It was Vaughn who pitched for Hopkins against the Junction team July 3, in which Hopkins won 8 to 0.

WALK FLOODED TRACK.

Party Marooned at Conception Junction Reach City Late Wednesday Night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. John Behm and J. C. King of this city, who were stopped at Conception Junction yesterday morning by washouts on the Wabash track, reached Maryville at 11 p. m. Wednesday, after walking a good part of the way from Conception Junction. The party was driven as much of the way as possible, and when the roads were impassable, walked, stopping along the route at the farm houses for rest and getting a farmer to drive them to another washout, where all took to the railroad track again. Mr. and Mrs. Ford were enroute here to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ford and Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson, and the Behms were returning from Rochester, where they went to accompany their nephew, Francis Sherlock, the son of Mr. and Mrs M. B. Sherlock, who remained there for medical treatment.

Coatesville, Pa., has broken its world's record for the largest steel ingot and biggest plate rolled. An ingot weighing 33,000 pounds has just been rolled for the Russian government. The largest plate rolled in the world before was rolled in Coatesvlle and was exhibited at the world's fair.

Niagara Falls is to have a commission and city manager government. The relations of the city manager to the city council will be similar to that of the general manager of a business corporation to its board of directors. The city manager will have power to employ and discharge city employes and appoint all appointive officials.

Omaha will spend $1,000,000 for new board of education buildings.

FRECKLES

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WANT FREE TUITION TO M. U.?

Six Nodaway County Young Men May Secure Military Scholarships—Apply Soon.

A long lost state law has been found by State Representative Charles Hyslop.

Result is, six young men of Nodaway county may enter the University of Misouri next fall, free of charge. Such provision has been made for years, but has been overlooked, according to Representative Hyslop, until this year.

Mr. Hyslop has the right to name three young men while Senator Anderson Craig may name three more. Applications for such appointments must be made direct to Mr. Hyslop or Mr. Craig on or before August 1.

These cadets may enter the College of Agriculture, College of Arts and Sciences of the School of Engineering at the University. Their tuition is paid by the state and they are exempt from hospital fees, library and incidental fees.

They have only their board and lodging to pay.

Of course each must pass a modified physical, mental and moral test, but it is not difficult. Blank application papers may be obtained of either appointee.

The appointments are for two years. They must have sufficient mental training to enter the university as a regular student.

HARKNESS FAMILY ARRIVE HOME.

Row Across Nodaway River, Which is a Mile in Width at Maitland.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Harkness and two sons, who have been staying with friends at Maitland since Wednesday arrived home last night.

Mr. Harkness, accompanied by his family, went to Kansas City Saturday morning, where he gave an address Sunday morning at Immanuel Presbyterian church. Tuesday they came to Maitland, where Mr. Harkness preached the dedicatory sermon Tuesday night for the new addition to the Presbyterian church of Maitland. The new rooms include a gymnasium, fitted with all necessary equipment, Sunday school, social and library rooms. After the sermon Mr. Harkness raised $560 to be applied on the church debt.

On account of the high water the family could not start to Maryville until yesterday. They were rowed in a boat across the Nodaway river, which was a mile wide at that point, and at Graham took an auto to Maryville. They were four and a half hours making the trip from Graham and were compelled to cross fields and make many detours in order to reach the city.

HAS OLD COIN COLLECTION.

W. E. Trueblood Collects Rare Ones as They Came—Is Not Numasmatist.

W. E. Trueblood, one of Maryville's old and well known citizens, has quite an interesting collection of rare coins. He has laid aside those that came into his possession and kept them and had a large number he says, but during recent years he has lost several. Among those he has are a dime of the vintage of 1839 and one of 1783, a three cent piece of 1867, a ten cent piece of 1827, an English shilling, a half penny and various copper coins. He has also an old paper ten cent bill, the old "shin plaster," a Confederate $5 bill issued at Richmond, Virginia, and a 25c due bill issued at Fort Smith Arkansas in 1861, payable in merchandise at Alexander & Allen's at Sherman, Texas.

COUNTY RIVERS ON SLOW RISE AGAIN

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last night was approximately the same as at Maryville, but much heavier rainfall is reported through the country north and east.

The Nodaway river at Skidmore was as high at noon today as it was early yesterday morning. The waters cover the entire bottom lands the distance of a mile wide in many places. The overflow was considerably reduced last night, but with the heavy rain of last night the rise is equal to yesterday morning, which was greater than at any time during the flood.

Villisca Branch Bridge Out.

The tracks of the Villisca branch of the Burlington are washed out at points both north and south of Skidmore and the resuming of train service is indefinite.

A railroad bridge over Florida creek, north, and nearly a quarter of a mile of track north of the station at Skidmore have been washed away, and south of the town the damage to the track is considerable. The damage to the small grain is greater for the farmers in this section than anywhere else in the county. Entire fields of wheat and oats along the bottom land are completely ruined.

Great Western Still "Dead."

The rainfall at Parnell was reported to be about two inches. The Platte river has been on a steady rise since morning, but not at an alarming rate, and no additional damage has resulted from the rainfall of last night.

On account of the great damage to the Great Western tracks south of Parnell and between Conception Junction and Guilford, no train service can be assured before Sunday or later.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Yes—We Have It

And we honestly believe that

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

is the best hair tonic on the market—50c a bottle. Sold only by us.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Thank You!

Of course, we expected that a large number of people would want to buy the new Butter-Nut Bread.

We didn't expect, though, that the entire population would want it right away.

Yet that's what seems to have happened.

And we're "much obliged."

The NEW

BUTTER-NUT BREAD

Is here! And my, the pleased comments that came in to us this morning—

"Didn't know it was possible to make such good-tasting bread"—and hundreds like it.

If you're one of the few who haven't tried Butter-Nut yet, do it today—for every minute you put it off you're missing a real treat.

All good grocers have it—larger size 10 cents.

Order early—we're finding it hard to fill the demand.

REUILLARD'S

All Kinds of Pastries

SHINGLES-NAILS

In recent years much complaint has been made of the shingles received in this section of the country, and justly made, too, for the wood shingles have not given the service they should have given.

If you happen to be among those who are so unfortunate as to have a poor roof, just take a few minutes, examine it, and give the reason for its bad condition.

Your reason will be the same as the one given by ninety-five per cent of all the causes of damaged roofs, and that is: The nail has rusted off, the shingle pulled out, and finally the wind carries it away.

If you contemplate a new roof, let us show you our **SOLID ZINC NAILS** (not galvanized), and a shingle that is **100 PER CENT CLEAR OF BOTH SAP AND KNOTS** and every shingle vertical grain.

A combination of our shingles and our zinc nails, will undoubtedly mean a good roof for twenty-five to thirty years.

E.C.Phares Lumber Company

East Side Square

BURLINGTON MAY RUN TRAIN SOON

(Continued from page 1.)

ing operated from St. Joseph to Maitland. The branch from Shenandoah to Keokuk, Ia., has resumed train operations, but most of the other Burlington branch lines are still out.

A force of one hundred men are being worked on the line near Pickering today and everything is being done to resume service from the north as quickly as possible.

The Wabash service will not be resumed, even partially, before tomorrow afternoon and perhaps not before Sunday. When normal service will be resumed is a puzzle that not even the officials can answer.

Train Comes to Burlington.

E. L. Ferritor, local Wabash agent, was unable this afternoon to give any definite information as to train service or track conditions. He said he did not even know where the damage was nor what was being done to remedy conditions, except that a work train is being operated near Elmo.

It left Shenandoah, Ia., last night and came as far this way as Burlington Junction, then returned to near Elmo. It is reported the rains last night did further damage, however, so it is feared the train was not even able to return to Shenandoah.

The telegraph lines between Stanberry and Council Bluffs are now open.

An effort is being made to get partial train service on the Chicago Great Western tomorrow morning, although no assurance of such an improvement can be made yet by officials.

FIRST WOMAN BANK HEAD DIES.

Albia Woman Said to Have Held National Record.

Albia, Ia., July 16.—Mrs. Caroline B. Drake, formerly president of the First National bank of Albia, died at her home here Wednesday night at the age of 83 years. She is believed to have been the first woman bank president in the United States. Her husband, the late J. H. Drake, was a brother to former Governor Drake of Iowa.

She had been a resident of Albia for ever fifty years and was a second cousin of Abraham Lincoln.

COMETS SHUT OUT PIRATES 13-0.

Egley Pitched No Hit No Run Game at Federal Park Yesterday.

Egley, uitching for the Comets, a "kid" base ball team, allowed the Pirates no hits and no runs in the game at Federal park yesterday afternoon. The Comets, on the other hand, made it a swatfest and piled up 13 scores to 9 goose eggs by the Pirates. Egley struck out 15 men.

This makes ten games won out of eleven played for the Comets this season. Kemp received for Egley yesterday while Vance and Sells were the battery for the Pirates.

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FREE MUSICALE

Berney Harris' Store

SATURDAY, 3 to 5 p. m. and 8 to 10 p. m.

Under Auspices of

BOOSTER MRS. IONA APPELBY
MISS LETTA WRAY and others

The Public is Cordially Invited

Berney Harris
THE BOOSTER STORE

20% Discount
ON ALL SUITINGS
Dietz and Keck

We are the People for Your Tools & Hardware

MR. CARPENTER:

When you want the better kind of Tools—Come to us. We will not only give you better Tools, but better "Prices."

Right through our store, every piece of Hardware is reliable; and we shaved the prices down low when we first Marked our goods. When you need Hardware, You need Us:

Hudson and Welch
North Side Hardware Men

AUSTRIA PROTESTS TO U. S.

Turkey Also Joins Germany in Warning America That Rupture Will Involve All.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

London, July 16.—A dispatch from Berlin by way of Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph company says:

"The Austro-Hungarian protest to America is a sequel to the recent conference at Vienna between Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, and Gottlieb von Jagow, the German foreign minister, and Baron Stephen Burian von Rajecz, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister.

"The protest was sent at the request of Germany, and Turkey will follow suit.

"The object is to warn America that a rupture of relations with Germany will mean also a rupture of relations with Germany's allies."

VILLA ON OFFENSIVE NOW

Tepic and Santiago Reported Captured —Carranza Withdraws from Guadalajara—Weakens Elsewhere.

Specail to Democrat-Forum.

Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico, July 16.—Villa forces are reported to have taken the offensive in the western states, capturing the city of Tepic and Santiago, in the state of Tepic. They now are advancing on San Blas, principal port of Tepic.

Conditions are reported to be quiet in the Yaqui and Mayo Indian countries.

Carranza troops under General Dieguez, commanding the state of Jalisco, are reported to have withdrawn from Guadalajara. A report from Manzanillo, Colima, said all troops and eleven pieces of artillery had been sent to reinforce General Dieguez. Only thirty soldiers were left in the garrison at Manzanillo.

ADDRESS AT CLYDE POSTPONED.

Culture Council Will Give Remainder of Program Tonight.

The address to have been given tonight at the Clyde school house, east of Hopkins, by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, at the meeting of the Clyde Culture Council, has been deferred until a later date.

The committee in charge of the entertainment, telephoned Mr. Hale this morning and cancelled the engagement because of the bad condition of the roads. The remainder of the program as planned will be carried out.

To Administrate Estate.

John F. Roelofson, public administrator, was today appointed administrator of the estate of John S. Sturm, who died here June 25, 1911, by Probate Judge W. H. Conn. This action was taken on account of some court litigation ensuing over the estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopper Home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hopper have returned from a visit of several weeks at College Springs, Ia.

Topeka has extended an invitation to all states having "blue sky" laws to send representatives to a convention to be held there in September.

Portland, Ore., has made a standing offer of "$10 to anyone who can find a hole in any pavement in the city as big as a man's hat."

Boston has a bureau to encourage the use of that city as a place to hold conventions. Already $10,000 has been made available, and the expectation is that this initiatory sum will be doubled.

Winfield, Kan., has been awarded the $1,000 prize offered by W. R. Stubbs former governor, as being the best second class city in Kansas in which to rear children. A similar contest is now being conducted in the third class cities of the state.

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Expert Advice to Automobile Owners.

My car starts badly. It has a four cylinder, 4.25x5.5 inch motor, but only a magneto for ignition. The motor works evenly when once under way. If it can be started rolling down grade and then thrown into gear it starts readily enough. Can you suggest a remedy for the trouble?

Your magneto is probably causing the trouble, although it is well to make sure that the difficulty does not lie in the carbureter adjustment or is not due to leaky valves. See that the spark plugs' points are 1-32 inch apart, that all connections are tight and that there are no short circuits. Then examine the breaker points on the magneto. File them until they meet squarely, and then adjust them until the motor runs evenly at all speeds. The exact distance depends upon the magneto, but should be somewhere between 1-32 and 1-64 inch. If the points are too far apart the motor will not start or will miss at slow speeds, while if the points are too near together it will miss at high speeds. There is also a chance that the magnets are weak. If so it will be difficult to obtain a spark at low motor speeds. Make sure that all the brushes are making good contact.

SOCIETY *and* CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK
PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

To Honor Miss Sturm.

Miss Grace Louise Sturm, a bride-to-be, will be the honored guest of a dinner to be given Tuesday night by Miss Jennie Garrett at the Garrett home, on East Fourth street.

Social Postponed.

The social which was to have been given tomorrow afternoon on the lawn of the court house by the Homemakers class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church, has been indefinitely postponed.

Miss Wright Gives Tea.

Miss Lola Wright gave an informal kensington and tea this afternoon, entertaining Miss Frances Hartman, Miss Lois Halley, Miss Clarice Hartman and Miss Alma Hotchkiss. The hostess and her guests were students at the Missouri state university this year and renewed college acquaintance over the tea cups.

Lodge Members Entertained.

The members of the Royal Neighbors lodge of Parnell were entertained very pleasantly yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. H. Hutchinson, Mrs. Elias Klaas, Mrs. H. O. Gray and Miss Pearl Jackson. The guests were Mrs. John Blackburn, Mrs. Harry Bird, Mrs. Tom O'Day, Mrs. James Miller, Mrs. Irwin Walker, Mrs. John McKee, Mrs. H. A. Shellman, Mrs. A. D. Martin and Mrs. Charles Evans. The special guests of the afternoon were Mrs. James LaFavor, Mrs. George Lyle, Mrs. W. N. Morgan and Miss Lola Frye.

Entertains Club.

Mrs. William C. Ellison was the hostess of an informal kensington given yesterday afternoon at the Ellison home when she entertained the members of her club, the "H. E. L. M. S." which is composed of a little coterie of friends of long standing. The afternoon was arranged for the pleasure of Mrs. Amelia Sunderland of Chicago, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. D. Leffler. Guests present other than the club members were Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and Miss Bettie Turner.

Mrs. Westbrook Entertains.

Mrs. W. M. Westbrook presided at a daintily appointed kensington and luncheon given this afternoon at her home on West First street at which her guests were Mrs. William Dyson of Fayette, Mo., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. Arch Carter of Hannibal, Mo., who is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Everhart, Mrs. D. R. McLeod of Hutchinson, Kan., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice R. Perrin, Mrs. Robert Bruce Montgomery and Miss Maud Sheldon.

Gives Children's Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kaufman of Parnell entertained a number of children at their home Tuesday afternoon for the pleasure of their small daughter, Minnie Sarah, and to celebrate the sixth birthday anniversary of the little girl. The children present were Georgia Thompson, Bertha and Helen Long, Zella Logan, Voncile Yetter, Bertha Ewart, Rose and Crystal Waldeier, Loveta McKee, Gretchen Bishop, Margaret McCarty, Esther Batt, Florence Nye, Mabel Overman, Edna and Bertha Walters, Ruby and Pearl Byrd, Leota and Veronica Hall, Pauline and Kathleen Jones, Clara Taylor, Charlotte Logan, Ethel and Florence Pauline Kaufman, Harold, Vincent, Victor and Haldane Gray, Austin Felton, Wayne, Thompson, Horace and Frank Jones, Frederick Breit, Doyle Logan, Harold Kaufman, Lavelle Yetter, Drexel Morgan, Delos Collins, Cary Nye, John and Harold Overman and Arthur Walters.

"Wishing Well" Shower.

A pretty compliment extended to a July bride-elect, Miss Grace Louise Sturm, was a "wishing well" shower given her this afternoon by Miss Anna Bainum and Miss Allie Jean Fraser at the Bainum home, on East Fourth street. Yellow and white were used decoratively and card games occupied the afternoon. Luncheon was served from the small game tables. The guests, which were limited to intimate friends of the honored guest, included, beside Miss Sturm, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mrs. Will Phares, Mrs. Cleve J. Funk, Miss Kathryn Kuchs, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Marie Reuillard, Miss Martha Koch, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow, Miss Marie Wells, Miss Glen Hotchkiss, Miss Hildred Hanna, Miss Ruth Matter, Miss May Growney, Miss Neva Airy and Miss Ruth Montgomery. The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. E. H. Bainum and Mrs. Elmer Fraser.

TO HOLD TOWN PICNIC.

Parnell People Arrange for a Three Days Celebration in August.

Parnell will have a town picnic which will be held there three days, August 19, 20 and 21. The plans for the event have not been fully detaield yet. The general committee appointed to make arrangements is composed of E. F. Klaas, W. N. Morgan and Chas. Evans. Special entertainment will be provided for each day of the picnic.

"I Don't Feel Good"
That is what a lot of people tell us. Usually their bowels only need cleansing.
Rexall Orderlies
will do the trick and make you feel fine. We know this positively. Take one tonight. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

DISMISS ASSAULT CHARGE.

City Didn't Have Enough Evidence to Prosecute Kelley.

William Kelley, charged with having assaulted Mrs. Bertha Reynolds, in a fight at the Reynolds home last Sunday, was released from the charge by the city this morning, when the case was called for trial. The case was dismissed because of insufficient evidence on which to convict him. He has been out on bond since his arrest.

WORST SINCE 1881.

Hamburg People Striving to Save Railroad Grade.

Hamburg, Ia., July 16.—Nishna river continues to rise. The water has reached the highest stage since 1881.

The territory south of Hamburg is several feet below water level, being protected by railroad grade, which has broken through several times. A large number of men are out working to hold it back. All those living on the river side of the track were forced to move out last evening. Those on the protected side are moving their goods upstairs or to other higher places of safety in anticipation of a fresh break at any moment.

H. L. Haines Returns.

Harvey L. Haines arrived in Maryville at noon today, after an absence from the city since Sunday. Mr. Haines left Sunday morning for Eldorado, Kan., where he visited until Tuesday night with his brother, Forrest Haines, and family. Since that time he has been marooned in St. Joseph, and returned to Maryville today, arriving at noon with E. H. Bainum, who drove from Savannah.

Woman Lawyer Forsakes Bar.

Miss Alta Miller of Shenandoah, a member of the Page county, Iowa, bar, deserted the legal profession yesterday for matrimony. She was married to Carl L. Schick of Columbus, O.

Horace Jones Very Ill.

Horace Jones of Parnell, who has been ill for some time, is in a serious condition at present and has been for several days.

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Warm Weather and Outing Clothes

$6.50 ***For Palm Beach Wash Suits.*** Cold water shrunk, rustless buckles and buttons, Sewn with Silk, will retain their shape. Tan, Gray, Stripes and Checks

$6.50 ***For English Mohair Suits*** With Patch Pockets—and Un—lined—All colors.

$5.00 ***For Outing Suits***--in Panama and "Kool Kloth" Excellent qualities, many Colors.

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Company

Telephone Poles

The excessive rains have ruined many telephone poles, in the past few months, and as we are cleaning out our stock of white cedar, we offer you the following poles, in good condition, and while they last, at these very greatly reduced prices:

9 Poles—5-in. top, 14 ft. long	$ .65
12 Poles—6-in. top, 14 ft. long	.75
7 Poles—5-in. top, 16 ft. long	.75
42 Poles—6-in. top, 16 ft. long	.90
6 Poles—5-in. top, 18 ft. long	1.00
26 Poles—6-in. top, 18 ft. long	1.20
8 Poles—7-in. top, 20 ft. long	1.75
9 Poles—6.in. top, 10 ft. long	.50
10 Poles—7.in. top, 8 ft. long, anchor posts	.45
15 Poles—8-in. top, 8 ft. long, anchor posts	.70

E. C. Phares Lumber Company
EAST SIDE SQUARE

P. S. We also have a complete stock of red cedar poles. The prices are right of course.

USE PURE WATER ON PICNIC

By Dr. E. J. Carlson.

The picnic season has begun. Every alluring spot for miles around in the vicinity of the towns and cities will be the mecca for pleasure seekers from now until frost comes. Almost everybody attends a picnic sometime during the season. Now that the automobile has made even the remote districts readily accessible for city dwellers, the number of urban residents who seek an occasional day's relaxation in the country has tremendously increased.

Nobody thinks of going on a picnic without taking a generous supply of food, but few people are far sighted enough to carry their drinking water. Some spring, brook or farmers well they feel will be sure to supply this essential. As a result of this indiscriminate dependence upon unfamiliar sources of water supply, there are hundreds of pleasure seekers who contract typhoid fever every season.

That period of the year when typhoid fever is always most prevalent is that at the end and immediately following the vacation season. While this is not alone the result of picnics they unquestionably play an important part in this annual toll of sickness and death.

It is not a difficult matter if one is taking an auto trip to carry a supply of drinking water from a source that is known to be uncontaminated. Moderate priced vacuum bottles or other containers can be secured which will keep the water cool.

If a local water supply with which one is unfamiliar must be used, boiling the water for twenty minutes will make it safe. Unfortunately clear water is by no means always pure water. Many a sparkling crystal clear roadside spring is open to pollution and no matter how attractive the little brooklet which bubbles along under the overhanging trees may appear, one must needs follow it to its source to be certain that it is free from contamination. So for safety's sake carry your drinking water in the picnic basket.

Church Team Plays Sunday.

The Pickering Sunday school base ball team will probably play Parnell at Pickering Sunday afternoon. If the visiting team cannot reach Pickering it will probably go to Hopkins for a game.

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NG POON CHEW OF CHINA.

THIS noted scholar, editor, orator and educator is to appear here at Chautauqua to deliver his great lecture on "China and Her Problems." He is perhaps the best equipped man in America for this task. He was for many years closely associated with the leading men of his native country and knows first hand the real life of her people and the problems that are being encountered by the new republic. He is an eloquent orator and speaks English with fluency and grace.

Philadelphia has appropriated $6,000,000 toward the construction of rapid transit system. Half of this amount was awarded toward the construction of a subway tube under Broad street and the remaining $3,000,000 for work on an elevated road in the northeastern section.

Many Hear Band Concert.

The weekly concert of the Fourth Regiment band on the court house lawn last night was well attended, several rigs from out of town being in the conglomeration of automobiles, buggies and wagons about the square.

Canton, Ohio, has a high school that conducts an employment bureau, and during last summer's vacation the high school boys and girls received in wages in their various positions gained by means of this over $21,000.

SCHILDKRET IS COMING BACK

Talented Leader of Famous Hungarian Orchestra to Visit Chautauqua Again.

THE ONE AND ONLY SAM.

A Unique Leader Who Makes Hit With His Talk as Well as With His Music—Music In Abundance His Motto.

It will be good news to the Chautauqua patrons to learn that Sam Schildkret, with his great Hungarian Orchestra, comes back to Chautauqua this year. It will be remembered that he made the entire Redpath-Vawter System last year and was universally

invited to return to give the people another one of his famous programs this summer.

Schildkret's Orchestra is famous not alone for the high grade music it produces, but for the wonderful variety in its repertory. Sam has also distinguished himself as a hardworking leader, and it is doubtful whether there is another leader in the country who will make as many responses to encores as this good natured leader does. He seems to enjoy his own programs to the limit, and this adds very greatly to the enjoyment of the audience.

Schildkret will be remembered as the talking leader, and the people will again get as much fun as they choose from the many funny little speeches he makes with his announcements. Another big treat is in store for them when Sam Schildkret brings his Hungarian Orchestra to the Chautauqua.

Nodaway county is entitled to three military scholarships in the state university. Cadets so appointed who enter the college of agriculture, college of arts and sciences and school of engineering have free tuition and are exempt from payment of library, hospital and incidental fees. Application must be filed before August 1, 1915. See

CHARLES HYSLOP,
Representative.

15-16

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SLEEP MAKES YOU STUPID

Doctor Says 5 or 6 Hours Is Enough—Points to Illustrious Ones as Proof.

Most people sleep too much, believes Dr. S. W. Robinson of Kansas City, specialist in nervous diseases. Doctor Robinson has returned for m San Francisco, where he had been attending the American Medical Association convention and spoke on "Fear and Anxiety" as pertaining to the loss of sleep.

"The reason so many people are troubled with insomnia," said the doctor "is because they go to bed thinking and worrying about being unable to go to sleep. If they would go to bed saying: 'I'm going to bed now to rest awhile,' they would have no trouble going to sleep. You don't have to sleep to rest. If you go to bed to rest Nature will soon put you to sleep.

Worn Out By Fear.

"Instead of going to bed to rest they go to bed to sleep. If they can't go to sleep immediately they think they are going to die or go insane. It is the fear and anxiety about the possibility of not being able to sleep that wears a person out and not the los sof sleep.

"Six to eight hours is the average amount of sleep needed to keep a person healthy," continued the doctor. "Some people need more, but the vast majority of people sleep too much. While there is more danger in not getting enough sleep, too much sleep is a great waste of time and makes a person stupid."

Some Light Sleepers.

Doctor Robinson sleeps between five and six hours a night.

Napoleon, Frederick the Great, Schiller, Humboldt, Mirabeau and Thomas A. Edison are in the class of men who sleep only five and six hours.

President Wilson sleeps nine hours.

Of several other physicians interviewed nearly all said the average man needed eight hours of sleep and the more the better.

Another physician is of the opinion that few persons sleep too much. "Eight hours is the normal sleep," he said, "although some get along on less. I have always held the view that one-third of the twenty-four of the day should be put in in sleep."

Others Doctors Disagree.

"Eight hours is the average amount of sleep for a grown person," says a doctor. "Ten hours would be better. Children need more and ought to have ten hours regularly. Old people sleep the least of all.

"Dozing is not beneficial to health. Either sleep or be up. When you wake up in the morning you ought to get up—it is a signal that you are rested and that Nature wants you to get up and tend to your work."

Still another Kansas City doctor believes seven hours of sound sleep sufficient for most mental workers. Manual workers require more, he said, as there is a greater destruction of muscular tissue.

If You

are troubled with heartburn, gases and a distressed feeling after eating take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal and you will obtain prompt relief. Sold only by us, 25c

Orear Henry Drug Co.

New York City is launched upon a program of city planning, which means the initiation and orderly development of those improvements in city life which good business demand and which make for happiness and well-being of residents.

Detroit is to purchase the Detroit street railway lines at a price to be fixed by the circuit court sitting in chancery.

High Cost of Building

There is much dissatisfaction in painting here and so much complaint of high cost. **There is a reason.** The reason is you contract with the builder and pay three profits for a cheap grade of work. One to the builder, one to the material man and one to the painter. You could save from 25 to 30 per cent by contracting direct with the painter. Our prices are, two-coat work, 14c square yard, paint included; paper hanging, 10c per roll, common lap work, border included; rooms varnished, $2.00 up; rooms enameled, $2.00 up; rooms papered, $3.50 up, paper included.

W.G.Gross

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Hanamo phone 4690.

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Judge Manford Schoonover For Chautauqua With Appeal For Clean Living

A FEARLESS ADVOCATE.

A Man's Man With a Man's Message. He Has Seen Both Sides of Life and Talks Straight From the Heart and to the Heart.

The announcement that Judge Manford Schoonover of Kansas will appear on the Chautauqua platform here ought to be received with interest and enthusiasm. He is one of the strong men of that Progressive state, and he has come up through all sorts of hardships and difficulties to occupy a high place in the councils of the people.

Judge Schoonover is distinctly a man's man. He has a message which particularly appeals to men. He is one of the great forces in the strong

fight that is being put up for a clean straightforward life, and the strength and virility of the man add wonderfully to the force of his message.

Judge Schoonover will appear on the opening day. He was placed in that position with the thought that his great address would give the Chautauqua a good sendoff. He ought to be greeted with a great audience—first, because he has a great message, and, second, because the people themselves should give evidence of knowing a good thing when they see it.

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CHIROPRACTOR.
No drugs, no knife. Chronic cases a specialty. Over Ashford's millinery.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company
Maryville, Mo.

Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. **NO GUESS WORK NOW.** I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

H. L. Raines
JEWELER OPTICIAN
110 W. 3rd St. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Farris place, adjoining Normal grounds; 6 large rooms, garden, pasture, fruit. Vacant. J. T. Hays.

FOR RENT—3 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 207 South Buchanan. 14-16

TAKEN—From in front of Remus' store, gold headed umbrella. Reward. Return to G. B. Holmes, Jr., at Remus grocery. 14-16

LOST—Gold watch, F. O. M. engraved in back of case. Return to this office. Reward. 15-17

FOR SALE—Four-cylinder model 10 Buick roadster, in good condition. R. G. Sanders. 15-17

Wall Paper
ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE DURING JULY
7½c a roll up
ARNETT'S

MILL CREEK NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis spent Sunday visiting Lester Williamson and family.

Herman Vail spent Sunday visiting his uncle, Elmer Swaney, and family.

Mrs. Will Larrabee and family spent Friday visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie VanFossen.

Harry Vail spent Saturday at Braddyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vail and daughter, Bessie, were guests of a Sunday dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. William Watson.

Mrs. Harry Williamson and baby spent Saturday the guests of Leslie Williamson and family.

Chicago, in pursuance to its stupendous conception of the future, is blazing Michigan avenue through from Rudolph street to Chicago avenue at a cost of over $8,000,000. Steps for a wide Twelfth street boulevard from the lake to the city limits are under way.

Swinging Stage for Painting Houses, Barns, Windmills, Silos

If there is anyone having this kind of work, I will satisfy you both in price and work.
JOHN LUND Farmers phone 17

Everblooming Roses

Nice Pot Grown Plants for planting out in July and August, 35c each; 3 for $1; $3.50 per dozen. Boston Joy the kind that grow on stone or brick and hardy as an oak, nice pot grown plants 25c each. When You Think of Flowers, Think of

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INDIVIDUAL SERVICE IS FIT YOUR NEEDS

WE INVITE YOU

WE believe business goes where it is invited. We also think people like to be asked for their business.

This bank wants your business, because we believe in progress and growth and are frank in saying, the way to get it, is to go after it.

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WATER SERVICE RESUMED TODAY

PUMPS STARTED LAST NIGHT—NORMAL PRESSURE ON NOW.

TEST OF MAINS MADE DELAY IN THE SUPPLY

Fear of Leakage in Pipes Caused Superintendent to Hold Reserve—To Repair Wall Soon.

The water is on today!

Pumping at the municipal water plant was resumed at 10 o'clock last night after a shut down since 4 o'clock Tuesday morning, when the lower part of the south wall caved in, allowing the pump pit and boiler room to fill with surface water.

The stand pipe and mains over town were filled this morning, and nearly normal service was resumed this afternoon all over the city. The fact that about half of the water had been removed from the stand pipe before the service could be shut off Tuesday morning, and all mains had been drained by patrons after the supply was shut off Tuesday, delayed much in getting regular service resumed today.

The pumps were kept working continually last night after they were started and part of the morning before the mains and stand pipe could be filled, so that water could be gotten in all parts of town.

Repair Wall of Plant.

Persons living in the lower parts of town, where the fall was greatest from the stand pipe were enabled thereby to get water before those uptown or the west and north portion of the city.

Although the surface water was removed sufficiently to get the pumps to working again by 11 o'clock last night, a force of men are still kept busy at the plant today, to keep more seepage water from flowing in on the pumps.

The south wall was supported by timbers last night and this morning. Permanent repair of the wall will probably not be made for several days, however, at least not until the pumping plant is thoroughly cleaned out and the surface water is drained from around the building.

The gaps in the reservoir were filled with sacks of sand yesterday and further repairs on it is being continued today.

While the water supply was cut off wells over town were in great demand, and tubs, boilers, barrels and what-not were kept filled with water by residents.

A Dirty Mess at Plant.

One will see a rather dirty "mess" in a visit to the water plant today—in fact, more so than while the water filled the lower part of the plant. In the pump pit there still remains from six to eight inches of slime, composed of dirt, trash, grease and oil, while nearly a full barrel of lubricating oil floated off its stand in the boiler room, with the inrush of water Tuesday, and spilled its contents over the surface.

When the water went down it left the oil sticking to the walls and over the boiler and floor.

Superintendent J. H. Martin this morning said this mess would be cleaned up as soon as the plant was gotten to working better. At present the water to the city is being pumped direct from the sand point system to the stand pipe with the old pump, which is about 30 years old and has not been used since the new big pump was installed.

Tried Out Mains First.

Before the big pump can be gotten to working, the vacuum pump, which is an auxiliary to the big one, must be cleaned of the slime which almost covers it, and perhaps several repairs made to it on account of its delicacy.

The reason why folks uptown were not able to get water "right off the bat" last night and this morning, even after the pump was started, was because Superintendent Martin took the wise precaution to keep the supply in the stand pipe shut up until all the eleven or twelve miles of mains had been tried out for breaks or leaks, on account of the floods.

Although it has been found no mains were damaged by the floods and rains, several were left exposed, after the dirt was washed off of them, making them liable to damage.

MAKE AUTO TRIP TO ST. JOSEPH.

E. H. Bainum Returns at Noon Today After Continuous Driving Since 9 a. m. Yesterday.

E. H. Bainum, who headed an auto party of twenty-one to St. Joseph yesterday, returned to Maryville at noon today, bringing with him Harvey L. Haines, Frank Murray and J. L. Pendergast, who had been delayed in St. Joseph since the beginning of the flood. Mr. Bainum, accompanied by drivers from the bus company, started at 9 o'clock yesterday morning with one of the large busses, a Cadillac and a Ford car, loaded with traveling men who had been marooned in Maryville. They arrived in Savannah at 4 o'clock, where part of the travelers were left and the rest taken on to St. Joseph.

They left St. Joseph late last night on the return trip and traveled continuously all night, arriving in Maryville at noon today.

Name Ross Administrator.

John F. Roelofson, public administrator, was appointed administrator in probate court today of the estate of Levi T. Ross, who died here March 5.

BURLINGTON MAY RUN TRAIN SOON

EXPECT TO GET TRAIN HERE FROM NORTH TONIGHT.

WABASH SERVICE TIED UP; MAY OPEN SUNDAY

Local Agent Ignorant of Conditons on Line—Work Train Gets to Junction—Villisca Branch Out.

Bulletin.

An effort will be made to get the southbound Burlington passenger train No. 3 down to Maryville from Creston late this afternoon or tonight, W. E. Goforth, local agent, reported at 3:30 o'clock.

Maryville will be without train service on the Burlington until tomorrow morning and on the Wabash at least until Sunday, according to local agents, even though the rivers over the county are over the danger period, it is believed, despite last night's rain. An effort is being made by the Burlington repair force to get the line to the north open late tonight or early tomorrow morning.

In this case, No. 5 can be operated through to Maryville tomorrow morning, though maybe not on schedule time. But no service to the south over the Burlington will be possible for several days, it is feared, as much track is washed out entirely or badly damaged.

A work train is being operated from this direction towards Pickering, where the damage was greatest, while another is working south from Hopkins. It is believed by W. E. Goforth, local agent, that the line between Maryville and Pickering will be repaired before that between Hopkins and Pickering is in order, so that should a train be able to reach Pickering it could easily come to Maryville.

Hurry to Resume Service.

A work train came down as far as Pickering last night, but it had to virtually creep along, over soft roadbed. The repair to the north is being supervised by Trainmaster W. F. Shiffer, Roadmaster W. R. Wires and W. H. Dentle, superintendent of bridges and buildings, all of Creston. They came to Maryville this morning on the work train for supplies, but returned.

There is no likelihood of service to the south over the Burlington for some time, as much damage has been done. The river is still over much track, so that the real damage cannot be ascertained yet.

Below Arkoe the track is in the 102 river, while not even the girders can be observed on the bridge below Arkoe, Mr. Goforth has learned. In one place near there the track is thrown out of line and against the right-of-way fence with the telegraph line beneath it. This cuts off all telegraph service to the south, so that nothing can be learned of conditions at Barnard or other towns to the south.

Wabash Expects Long Tie-Up.

The Villisca branch also is out yet, except that partial train service is be-

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In the four reel feature CALLED BACK and 2 good Comedies

CUTS MEAT SUPPLY

TRAIN ANNULMENT THREATENS TO REDUCE STOCK HERE.

NO BUTTER IN TOWN

Maryville Out of Creamery Product—Hurry Up Goods by Train to Hopkins—Cured Meats Scarce.

A shortage of meats, butter, and maybe bread, faces Maryville today as a result of the annulment of all trains into Maryville and inability to get supplies in by other means today.

The supply of creamery butter held by Maryville merchants became exhausted last night and none can be secured today except a very little country butter. Orders have been placed jointly by several merchants of the city for a supply of butter on the Burlington from the north, but it is not expected to reach here before tomorrow.

A conveyance may be operated to Pickering or Hopkins late this afternoon to bring the food supply back to Maryville, if it is sent down on the southbound train this afternoon, as normal service is resumed on the Burlington as far south as Hopkins.

Have Fresh Meat Yet.

The supply of cured meats also is virtually exhausted by merchants, though local butchers and meat markets report enough fresh meats, especially of pork and beef, to last through today and maybe tomorrow, even if no more live stock is brought in.

E. L. Townsend of the Townsend company ordered a supply of cured meats from Ottumwa yesterday. It was brought as far as Hopkins by train, but on account of being unable to get it further, Mr. Townsend turned the supply over to merchants there.

Mr. Townsend also said he had two car loads of flour held up at St. Joseph and two more cars on the way from the mills, but where it is he does not know. The flour supply in the city will last through this week, though, so that no flour or bread supply is anticipated.

There is plenty of sugar, coffee and such other foods to keep the town supplied until normal train service is resumed.

PLAN FOR HEATING PLANT

Normal Regents to Ask Soon for Bids on Improvement—Prepare Specifications.

Plans and specifications for the direct radiation heating system to be installed in the Normal building this year, are now being prepared, according to President Ira Richardson today. Bids for the work will be advertised for within a few days.

Ten days time will then be given for the receipt of bids, after which the contract for the improvement will probably be awarded. The system is estimated to cost $14,000. The legislature last winter appropriated that fund.

HAS RAINED 14 1-2 INCHES

July Precipitation Heaviest on Record—Adds 1.38 Inches Last Night Makes 38 Inches.

The clear skies of yesterday, after the heaviest rain in twenty years this week, did not last long. At 8 o'clock last night a bank of clouds began working up slowly from the northwest amid lightning. The sky soon become overcast with clouds and people uptown to attend the band concert and cool off from the sultry heat, quickly scampered for home, well knowing the traits being played this year by Jupiter Pluvius.

But the drops of rain did not begin to fall until a few minutes before midnight. When they came, however, they came thick and fast and when the gong sounded at J. R. Brink's house at 7 o'clock this morning Jupe had let out 1.38 inches of the moisture. About .02 of an inch fell after that hour.

This brings the total rainfall for the first half of July up to 14.48 inches. This is the heaviest in that time or even a whole month since the bureau was established here twenty years ago.

The total rainfall now for the first six and one-half months of 1915 is just thirty-eight inches or about the normal fall for an entire year. At this rate, northwest Missouri is due to be dry for the next half-year.

The ladies of St. Patrick's church will hold a market at Bower's hardware store Saturday, July 17, where home-made bread, cake and pies can be had for Sunday dinner. 14-16

TO BOOSTERS 10-9

CLEARMONT LED 6-0, BUT MARYVILLE SNEAKED UP FROM REAR.

WAS STEADY ADVANCE

Locals Changed Pitchers, Then Visitors' Twirler Went Up, Turning Tables—Lonnie Adams, Hero.

Defeat was quickly turned into victory yesterday afternoon when Lonnie Adams succeeded Vaughn as pitcher for the Maryville Boosters in the second inning of the game with the Clearmont team at the Normal grounds, and as a result the locals won 10 to 9. It looked like, and really was, a walkaway for the visitors until the change of twirlers came. Up to that time Clearmont had six runs while the Boosters had nothing but goose eggs.

But it was not solely Lonnie's efforts that turned the tables. There were several other ingredients mixed into it. The Boosters appeared to tighten up with the change, make less errors and hit and field a trifle better. Then, too, Cox of Hopkins, pitching for Clearmont, began to go up, and he had to be pulled in the last half of the fifth inning.

Was Not a Classy Game.

The game was not a real good one, even though Maryville did win. There appeared to be a lack of "pep" among the players and team work was not anything to chronicle in red head lines. Besides, management was rather lax and squabbles and arguments between players and umpire occurred three times.

Clearmont continued in the lead, despite the change in the second inning, until the last half of the seventh, when Maryville got two scores, thereby tying up the game. It continued tied until the last half of the ninth, when Ed Adams brought in the winning run, and the game was stopped with none down.

The playing of George Palfreyman, coach, on shortstop, both in fielding and batting and base running, was highly creditable yesterday, as also was the work of Lonnie Adams on the mound. He struck out nine men and allowed five hits, all singles but one. He allowed but one single after the fifth inning.

How the Runs Came.

Clearmont began piling up its share of the scores right off the reel. The first man was fanned by Vaughn, but the next two got singles, the third got on through error and the fifth man was walked. Each scored, thereby making it four to nothing. Two more got on that inning but they died on the sacks.

They continued the scoring in the second inning, by bringing in Benthiene and Newlon, both on hits.

With the score standing 6 to 0 Maryville went to bat in the last of the third with renewed hope through the box change, and made four runs. Wray, first up, got a single, Lonnie Adams followed with a ditto, Palfreyman flew out, Finch got a single, Ed Adams was walked, Scott got a single, Moore sacrificed and Wogan died trying to get to first.

Out of all this, Wray, Lonnie Adams, Finch and Ed Adams circled the bases and received the ovation of the 300 fans at the home plate.

Kept Up Lucky Streak.

They continued the lucky streak in the next inning, and Still and Palfreyman received the crown of glory, but neither earned their runs. Ed Adams followed up this luck in the fifth inning by another unearned run, thereby making the score stand seven for Maryville.

But in the meantime, look what happened. Clearmont went scoreless in the third and fourth innings, but in the fifth, piled up three runs, making it 9 to 7 in their favor. From then on they didn't have a chance, and it was only how soon will Maryville overtake the lead, that the fans puzzled over.

The score was nearly evened up in the seventh, when Ed Adams and Scott, the first two men up, went around the diamond on unearned runs, the next three men died in quick succession, none reaching first.

Clearmont changed its lineup considerably in the fifth inning, while only the change in pitchers in the second was made by Maryville. One mar of the game came in the ninth inning, when Davis of the Clearmont team got bumped by Charles Moore, playing first, and had to be carried from the field.

The Lineup.

The lineup of the two teams was: Clearmont—Newlon, 2b; Cunning and Benthiene, 3b; L. Watson and Pence, 1b; Russell, lf; Davis and Watson, ss; Cox and Cunning, p; Ab Watson and Benthiene, cf; Sargent, c; Brownfield and Benthiene, rf.

Maryville—Palfreyman, ss; Finch, 3b; Ed Adams, lf; Scott, cf; Moore, 1b; Wogan, c; Still, 2b; Wray, rf; Vaughn and Lonnie Adams, p.

The Boosters will play Tarkio here next Thursday afternoon, and an effort is now being made to get the Oregon team here for next Tuesday afternoon to play a postponed game. Oregon was to have played here last Tuesday but was unable to get here.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Clearmont .....42003000—	9	11	3
Maryville .....00421020 1—	10	12	5

FARM HOUSE BURNED.

Lightning Sets Fire to Home of Walter Mitchell, Near Parnell.

The house on the farm of Walter Mitchell, two miles northeast of Parnell, was burned during the storm of Tuesday.

The building was struck by lightning and set on fire. The total damage to house and contents was about $1,200, with $500 insurance. Just before the bolt of lightning struck the house the family had gone into the cave for shelter.

COUNTY RIVERS ON SLOW RISE AGAIN

RAIN LAST NIGHT STOPS FALL—102 RECEDES HERE.

RISING AT HOPKINS AND PICKERING NOW

Expect River Will Begin Going Up East of Town Tonight—Bridge Damage Grows.

Conditions over Nodaway county have improved but little since yesterday, according to reports received by The Democrat-Forum from towns throughout the county. Although the Nodaway, 102 and Platte rivers were each falling slightly yesterday, except in the south end of the county, another rise is now on in the north part, through the rains last night.

The 102 river was rising at Hopkins and also at Pickering early this afternoon, but was still falling slowly at the municipal water plant, east of Maryville. Evidently the rise will be resumed here late this afternoon or tonight. The river is still out much at Barnard and Arkoe and has fallen but little.

The Platte river was rising again this afternoon at Parnell and other towns in the north part, though falling at Conception Junction. It now is just about at its record height earlier in the week.

Rain Heavier to North.

The Nodaway river also is rising again this afternoon, from the effects of the rain last night, which was heavier to the north than it was at Maryville.

Bedford reports a fall of about two inches last night, while Hopkins had about the same fall that Maryville had. The fall nowhere within the water sheds exceeded three inches, it is said, so that the rise now on from the effects of last night's rain is not expected to go much higher.

The report of more bridges and culverts being out or damaged and roadways rendered impassable over the county continues to come in, with the indications that the county will be hit worse than ever in history in this way.

W. M. Blackford, presiding judge of the county court, will take a force of workmen out this afternoon to try to replace the steel bridge over the headwater of the Wildcat near Thomas Hughes' corner, north of town. Another force will be taken tomorrow or Monday to the Caldwell corner, near Burlington Junction to repair damage.

Bottom Lands Still Flooded.

At Hopkins the 102 river, which was much lower and less than two-thirds bank full last night has been steadily rising since morning and at noon was bank full. The rainfall at that point

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PEACE SENTIMENT IN GERMANY GAINS

LONDON BELIEVES KAISER MAKES PROPOSALS THROUGH U. S.

FEELING GROWS THAT TEUTONS WOULD STOP

Financial News Exploits Reports from German Sources That America is Center for Propositions.

By American Press.

London, July 16.—There is a feeling gaining ground in London today that the peace sentiment in Germany is finding an official outlet. The Financial News displays with great prominence reports from quarters said to be in close touch with German sources of information that Germany is making "tentative peace proposals" through the United States.

GERMAN PLUNGER IS SUNK

Submarine U-51 Downed by Russian Warship Fire in Black Sea, Bulgaria Reports.

By American Press.

London, July 16.—According to information received from Varna, a Bulgarian port on the Black sea, the German submarine U51 has been sunk in the Black sea by Russian warships.

PLOT POWDER PLANT WRECK?

Believe Explosion of Kentucky Works, Which Cost 4 Lives, Was Directed By Outside Agencies.

By American Press.

Louisville, Ky., July 16.—The circumstances attending the explosion Monday afternoon that caused the complete wrecking of the plant of the United States Safety Powder company, near Louisville, and the loss of four lives has led to the belief that it may have been directed by outside agencies.

An exhaustive investigation of the causes of the blast has been ordered by the board of directors in an effort to determine whether it was the work of a far-reaching organization. Since the beginning of the war in Europe, and until about a month ago, the plant has been under lease to a Canadian company manufacturing high explosives.

GET $13,000 STOLEN MONEY

Government Arrests Former Postal Clerk for Theft in Idaho, December, 1913—Confesses.

By American Press.

San Francisco, Cal., July 16.—Government officials have recovered thirteen thousand dollars of the amount stolen from the Wallace, Idaho, postoffice in December, 1913. Approximately twenty thousand dollars was taken.

Although federal postoffice inspectors were promptly detailed on the case and have persistently followed it up, they have not until within the last few days been able to secure evidence to justify an arrest.

Charence McDaniels, a former clerk in the office, was arrested yesterday, and it was through his confession that the money was recovered.

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Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

Walt Mason, the Kansas poet, must look to his laurels. Nodaway county has Carl Wray, and his popularity as a writer of musical prose is rapidly growing.

Time was when an inch of rain was looked upon as a great blessing.

Back in '49 there were no roads to run trains over. Cheer up.

Nodaway county is practically isolated this week, but she is in no danger of starvation.

A government astronomer has discovered that all these rains are caused by spots on the sun. Isn't it about time to get to those sun spots? Where are the gold dust twins?

Since the eugenic marriage law went into effect in Wisconsin it has been found that the number of marriages in 1914 showed a decrease of 20 per cent from the number in 1913. The secretary of the state health board thinks that the general depression in business may have had something to do with it, but the main cause of the decrease in matrimonial tie-ups is the law that requires candidates to measure up to certain specifications. It is probable that if all the states were spared a certain per cent of the marriages legalized, society would be better off.

One of the homely truths attributed to Champ Clark is the following: "It seems to me that it is a self-evident fact that it would be a good thing for everybody to try to save money to provide against old age, accident and disease." Most people recognize the truth of this, but many overlook the fact that the time to begin trying to save is while they are able to earn. The world is full of people, who have wasted thousands in early life trying to save after their earning capacity begins to decline. And it may be observed that the great extravagance from which this country suffers is not so much the desire for the things which we cannot afford ourselves as it is to maintain a parity af appearances with our neighbors and friends who have luxuries which they may or may not be able to afford.

He Couldn't Get Home.

E. E. Williams, who went to Avoca, Ia., a few days ago to act as best man at the wedding of D. J. Howell, was floodbound in Iowa uptil today, when he returned by way of Hopkins.

* STOCK MARKET *

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 200.

Hogs—12,000. Market 10c higher; top, $7.85. Estimate tomorrow, 8,000.

Sheep—5,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—2,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.50.

Sheep—1,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—500. Market 5c higher; top, $7.45

Sheep—None. Market steady.

OFFICE

New Location

I have changed my location from the Star barn to William Everhart's. All horses will be boarded at the Star barn.

Farmers phone 160, Hanamo phone 5.

DR. G. H. LEACH.

TO PLAY BEDFORD SUNDAY

Maryville Federals Strengthen Lineup With Nebraska League Players—"Dirty" Miller Expected.

The Maryville Federals have added three new players to the team since the game last Sunday, and are negotiating for two more, according to True Hallowell, assistant manager, today. Walter (Dirty) Miller, formerly of Maryville, is expected to arrive from Tulsa in time for the game planned here with Bedford, Ia., Sunday afternoon at Federal park. He will probably take the third sack.

Manager Cleve Funk also has secured Black, formerly of the Beatrice, Neb., state league team, and has wired for an infielder from that team, too. They are expected here in time for the game Sunday, if train service can be resumed by that time.

Miller, who formerly played league ball, was considered one of the best all-round players on the All-Stars team last season and has been making good at Tulsa. Black new man from Beatrice, also is rated good. He will probably take the center field Sunday.

The lineup for the game Sunday with Bedford will probably be: Frank Ham, p; D. Carmichael, c; Tilson, 1b; Beatrice player; 2b; Miller, 3b; Scott, ss; Morris, lf; Black, cf; Woodard, rf.

Ham, who is at Guilford, may not be able to get to Maryville for the Sunday game, in which case arrangements have been made to secure Vaughn of Burlington Junction as twirler. It was Vaughn who pitched for Hopkins against the Junction team July 3, in which Hopkins won 8 to 0.

WALK FLOODED TRACK.

Party Marooned at Conception Junction Reach City Late Wednesday Night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. John Behm and J. C. King of this city, who were stopped at Conception Junction yesterday morning by washouts on the Wabash track, reached Maryville at 11 p. m. Wednesday, after walking a good part of the way from Conception Junction. The party was driven as much of the way as possible, and when the roads were impassable, walked, stopping along the route at the farm houses for rest and getting a farmer to drive them to another washout, where all took to the railroad track again. Mr. and Mrs. Ford were enroute here to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ford and Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson, and the Behms were returning from Rochester, where they went to accompany their nephew, Francis Sherlock, the son of Mr. and Mrs M. B. Sherlock, who remained there for medical treatment.

Coatesville, Pa., has broken its world's record for the largest steel ingot and biggest plate rolled. An ingot weighing 33,000 pounds has just been rolled for the Russian government. The largest plate rolled in the world before was rolled in Coatesville and was exhibited at the world's fair.

Niagara Falls is to have a commission and city manager government. The relations of the city manager to the city council will be similar to that of the general manager of a business corporation to its board of directors. The city manager will have power to employ and discharge city employes and appoint all appointive officials.

Omaha will spend $1,000,000 for new board of education buildings.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

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WANT FREE TUITION TO M. U.?

Six Nodaway County Young Men May Secure Military Scholarships—Apply Soon.

A long lost state law has been found by State Representative Charles Hyslop.

Result is, six young men of Nodaway county may enter the University of Missouri next fall, free of charge. Such provision has been made for years, but has been overlooked, according to Representative Hyslop, until this year.

Mr. Hyslop has the right to name three young men while Senator Anderson Craig may name three more. Applications for such appointments must be made direct to Mr. Hyslop or Mr. Craig on or before August 1.

These cadets may enter the College of Agriculture, College of Arts and Sciences of the School of Engineering at the University. Their tuition is paid by the state and they are exempt from hospital fees, library and incidental fees.

They have only their board and lodging to pay.

Of course each must pass a modified physical, mental and moral test, but it is not difficult. Blank application papers may be obtained of either appointee.

The appointments are for two years. They must have sufficient mental training to enter the university as a regular student.

HARKNESS FAMILY ARRIVE HOME.

Row Across Nodaway River, Which is a Mile in Width at Maitland.

The Rev. and Mrs. S. D. Harkness and two sons, who have been staying with friends at Maitland since Wednesday arrived home last night.

Mr. Harkness, accompanied by his family, went to Kansas City Saturday morning, where he gave an address Sunday morning at Immanuel Presbyterian church. Tuesday they came to Maitland, where Mr. Harkness preached the dedicatory sermon Tuesday night for the new addition to the Presbyterian church of Maitland. The new rooms include a gymnasium, fitted with all necessary equipment, Sunday school, social and library rooms. After the sermon Mr. Harkness raised $560 to be applied on the church debt.

On account of the high water the family could not start to Maryville until yesterday. They were rowed in a boat across the Nodaway river, which was a mile wide at that point, and at Graham took an auto to Maryville. They were four and a half hours making the trip from Graham and were compelled to cross fields and make many detours in order to reach the city.

HAS OLD COIN COLLECTION.

W. E. Trueblood Collects Rare Ones as They Came—Is Not Numasmatist.

W. E. Trueblood, one of Maryville's old and well known citizens, has quite an interesting collection of rare coins. He has laid aside those that came into his possession and kept them and had a large number he says, but during recent years he has lost several. Among those he has are a dime of the vintage of 1839 and one of 1783, a three cent piece of 1867, a ten cent piece of 1827, an English shilling, a half penny and various copper coins. He has also an old paper ten cent bill, the old "shin plaster," a Confederate $5 bill issued at Richmond, Virginia, and a 25c due bill issued at Fort Smith Arkansas in 1861, payable in merchandise at Alexander & Allen's at Sherman, Texas.

COUNTY RIVERS ON SLOW RISE AGAIN

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last night was approximately the same as at Maryville, but much heavier rainfall is reported through the country north and east.

The Nodaway river at Skidmore was as high at noon today as it was early yesterday morning. The waters cover the entire bottom lands the distance of a mile wide in many places. The overflow was considerably reduced last night, but with the heavy rain of last night the rise is equal to yesterday morning, which was greater than at any time during the flood.

Villisca Branch Bridge Out.

The tracks of the Villisca branch of the Burlington are washed out at points both north and south of Skidmore and the resuming of train service is indefinite.

A railroad bridge over Florida creek, north and nearly a quarter of a mile of track north of the station at Skidmore have been washed away, and south of the town the damage to the track is considerable. The damage to the small grain is greater for the farmers in this section than anywhere else in the county. Entire fields of wheat and oats along the bottom land are completely ruined.

Great Western Still "Dead."

The rainfall at Parnell was reported to be about two inches. The Platte river has been on a steady rise since morning, but not at an alarming rate, and no additional damage has resulted from the rainfall of last night.

On account of the great damage to the Great Western tracks south of Parnell and between Conception Junction and Guilford, no train service can be assured before Sunday or later.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Yes—We Have It

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Thank You!

Of course, we expected that a large number of people would want to buy the new Butter-Nut Bread.

We didn't expect, though, that the entire population would want it right away.

Yet that's what seems to have happened.

And we're "much obliged."

The NEW

BUTTER-NUT BREAD

Is here! And my, the pleased comments that came in to us this morning—

"Didn't know it was possible to make such good-tasting bread"—and hundreds like it.

If you're one of the few who haven't tried Butter-Nut yet, do it today—for every minute you put it off you're missing a real treat.

All good grocers have it—larger size 10 cents.

Order early—we're finding it hard to fill the demand. 7

GENUINE BUTTER NUT BREAD

REUILLARD'S
All Kinds of Pastries

SHINGLES-NAILS

In recent years much complaint has been made of the shingles received in this section of the country, and justly made, too, for the wood shingles have not given the service they should have given.

If you happen to be among those who are so unfortunate as to have a poor roof, just take a few minutes, examine it, and give the reason for its bad condition.

Your reason will be the same as the one given by ninety-five per cent of all the causes of damaged roofs, and that is: The nail has rusted off, the shingle pulled out, and finally the wind carries it away.

If you contemplate a new roof, let us show you our **SOLID ZINC NAILS** (not galvanized), and a shingle that is **100 PER CENT CLEAR OF BOTH SAP AND KNOTS** and every shingle vertical grain.

A combination of our shingles and our zinc nails, will undoubtedly mean a good roof for twenty-five to thirty years.

E.C.Phares Lumber Company

East Side Square

BURLINGTON MAY RUN TRAIN SOON

(Continued from page 1.)

ing operated from St. Joseph to Maitland. The branch from Shenandoah to Keokuk, Ia., has resumed train operations, but most of the other Burlington branch lines are still out.

A force of one hundred men are being worked on the line near Pickering today and everything is being done to resume service from the north as quickly as possible.

The Wabash service will not be resumed, even partially, before tomorrow afternoon and perhaps not before Sunday. When normal service will be resumed is a puzzle that not even the officials can answer.

Train Comes to Burlington.

E. L. Ferritor, local Wabash agent, was unable this afternoon to give any definite information as to train service or track conditions. He said he did not even know where the damage was nor what was being done to remedy conditions, except that a work train is being operated near Elmo.

It left Shenandoah, Ia., last night and came as far this way as Burlington Junction, then returned to near Elmo. It is reported the rains last night did further damage, however, so it is feared the train was not even able to return to Shenandoah.

The telegraph lines between Stanberry and Council Bluffs are now open.

An effort is being made to get partial train service on the Chicago Great Western tomorrow morning, although no assurance of such an improvement can be made yet by officials.

FIRST WOMAN BANK HEAD DIES.

Albia Woman Said to Have Held National Record.

Albia, Ia., July 16.—Mrs. Caroline B. Drake, formerly president of the First National bank of Albia, died at her home here Wednesday night at the age of 83 years. She is believed to have been the first woman bank president in the United States. Her husband, the late J. H. Drake, was a brother to former Governor Drake of Iowa.

She had been a resident of Albia for ever fifty years and was a second cousin of Abraham Lincoln.

COMETS SHUT OUT PIRATES 13-0.

Egley Pitched No Hit No Run Game at Federal Park Yesterday.

Egley, uitching for the Comets, a "kid" base ball team, allowed the Pirates no hits and no runs in the game at Federal park yesterday afternoon. The Comets, on the other hand, made it a swatfest and piled up 13 scores to 9 goose eggs by the Pirates. Egley struck out 15 men.

This makes ten games won out of eleven played for the Comets this season. Kemp received for Egley yesterday while Vance and Sells were the battery for the Pirates.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

FREE MUSICALE

Berney Harris' Store

SATURDAY, 3 to 5 p. m. and 8 to 10 p. m.

Under Auspices of

BOOSTER MRS. IONA APPELBY
MISS LETTA WRAY and others

The Public is Cordially Invited

Berney Harris
THE BOOSTER STORE

20% Discount
ON ALL SUITINGS
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We are the People for Your Tools & Hardware

MR. CARPENTER:

When you want the better kind of Tools—Come to us. We will not only give you better Tools, but better "Prices."

Right through our store, every piece of Hardware is reliable; and we shaved the prices down low when we first Marked our goods. When you need Hardware, You need Us:

Hudson and Welch
North Side Hardware Men

AUSTRIA PROTESTS TO U. S.

Turkey Also Joins Germany in Warning America That Rupture Will Involve All.

Special to Democrat-Forum.

London, July 16.—A dispatch from Berlin by way of Amsterdam to the Exchange Telegraph company says:

"The Austro-Hungarian protest to America is a sequel to the recent conference at Vienna between Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, and Gottlieb von Jagow, the German foreign minister, and Baron Stephen Burian von Rajecz, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister.

"The protest was sent at the request of Germany, and Turkey will follow suit.

"The object is to warn America that a rupture of relations with Germany will mean also a rupture of relations with Germany's allies."

VILLA ON OFFENSIVE NOW

Tepic and Santiago Reported Captured —Carranza Withdraws from Guadalajara—Weakens Elsewhere.

Specail to Democrat-Forum.

Guaymas, Sonora, Mexico, July 16.—Villa forces are reported to have taken the offensive in the western states, capturing the city of Tepic and Santiago, in the state of Tepic. They now are advancing on San Blas, principal port of Tepic.

Conditions are reported to be quiet in the Yaqui and Mayo Indian countries.

Carranza troops under General Dieguez, commanding the state of Jalisco, are reported to have withdrawn from Guadalajara. A report from Manzanillo, Colima, said all troops and eleven pieces of artillery had been sent to reinforce General Dieguez. Only thirty soldiers were left in the garrison at Manzanillo.

ADDRESS AT CLYDE POSTPONED.

Culture Council Will Give Remainder of Program Tonight.

The address to have been given tonight at the Clyde school house, east of Hopkins, by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church, at the meeting of the Clyde Culture Council, has been deferred until a later date.

The committee in charge of the entertainment, telephoned Mr. Hale this morning and cancelled the engagement because of the bad condition of the roads. The remainder of the program as planned will be carried out.

To Administrate Estate.

John F. Roelofson, public administrator, was today appointed administrator of the estate of John S. Sturm, who died here June 25, 1911, by Probate Judge W. H. Conn. This action was taken on account of some court litigation ensuing over the estate.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopper Home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hopper have returned from a visit of several weeks at College Springs, Ia.

Topeka has extended an invitation to all states having "blue sky" laws to send representatives to a convention to be held there in September.

Portland, Ore., has made a standing offer of "$10 to anyone who can find a hole in any pavement in the city as big as a man's hat."

Boston has a bureau to encourage the use of that city as a place to hold conventions. Already $10,000 has been made available, and the expectation is that this initiatory sum will be doubled.

Winfield, Kan., has been awarded the $1,000 prize offered by W. R. Stubbs former governor, as being the best second class city in Kansas in which to rear children. A similar contest is now being conducted in the third class cities of the state.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Expert Advice to Automobile Owners.

My car starts badly. It has a four cylinder, 4.25x5.5 inch motor, but only a magneto for ignition. The motor works evenly when once under way. If it can be started rolling down grade and then thrown into gear it starts readily enough. Can you suggest a remedy for the trouble?

Your magneto is probably causing the trouble, although it is well to make sure that the difficulty does not lie in the carbureter adjustment or is not due to leaky valves. See that the spark plugs' points are 1-32 inch apart, that all connections are tight and that there are no short circuits. Then examine the breaker points on the magneto. File them until they meet squarely, and then adjust them until the motor runs evenly at all speeds. The exact distance depends upon the magneto, but should be somewhere between 1-32 and 1-64 inch. If the points are too far apart the motor will not start or will miss at slow speeds, while if the points are too near together it will miss at high speeds. There is also a chance that the magnets are weak. If so it will be difficult to obtain a spark at low motor speeds. Make sure that all the brushes are making good contact.

SOCIETY *and* CLUBLAND

By KATE SCHENCK

PHONES—OFFICE 42. HOME 683

To Honor Miss Sturm.

Miss Grace Louise Sturm, a bride-to-be, will be the honored guest of a dinner to be given Tuesday night by Miss Jennie Garrett at the Garrett home, on East Fourth street.

Social Postponed.

The social which was to have been given tomorrow afternoon on the lawn of the court house by the Homemakers class of the Buchanan Street Methodist church, has been indefinitely postponed.

Miss Wright Gives Tea.

Miss Lola Wright gave an informal kensington and tea this afternoon, entertaining Miss Frances Hartman, Miss Lois Halley, Miss Clarice Hartman and Miss Alma Hotchkiss. The hostess and her guests were students at the Missouri state university this year and renewed college acquaintance over the tea cups.

Lodge Members Entertained.

The members of the Royal Neighbors lodge of Parnell were entertained very pleasantly yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. H. Hutchinson, Mrs. Elias Klaas, Mrs. H. O. Gray and Miss Pearl Jackson. The guests were Mrs. John Blackburn, Mrs. Harry Bird, Mrs. Tom O'Day, Mrs. James Miller, Mrs. Irwin Walker, Mrs. John McKee, Mrs. H. A. Shellman, Mrs. A. D. Martin and Mrs. Charles Evans. The special guests of the afternoon were Mrs. James LaFavor, Mrs. George Lyle, Mrs. W. N. Morgan and Miss Lola Frye.

Entertains Club.

Mrs. William C. Ellison was the hostess of an informal kensington given yesterday afternoon at the Ellison home when she entertained the members of her club, the "H. E. L. M. S." which is composed of a little coterie of friends of long standing. The afternoon was arranged for the pleasure of Mrs. Amelia Sunderland of Chicago, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. D. Leffler. Guests present other than the club members were Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and Miss Bettie Turner.

Mrs. Westbrook Entertains.

Mrs. W. M. Westbrook presided at a daintily appointed kensington and luncheon given this afternoon at her home on West First street at which her guests were Mrs. William Dyson of Fayette, Mo., who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, Mrs. Arch Carter of Hannibal, Mo., who is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Everhart, Mrs. D. R. McLeod of Hutchinson, Kan., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice R. Perrin, Mrs. Robert Bruce Montgomery and Miss Maud Sheldon.

Gives Children's Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kaufman of Parnell entertained a number of children at their home Tuesday afternoon for the pleasure of their small daughter, Minnie Sarah, and to celebrate the sixth birthday anniversary of the little girl. The children present were Georgia Thompson, Bertha and Helen Long, Zella Logan, Voncile Yetter, Bertha Ewart, Rose and Crystal Waldeier, Loveta McKee, Gretchen Bishop, Margaret McCarty, Esther Batt, Florence Nye, Mabel Overman, Edna and Bertha Walters, Ruby and Pearl Byrd, Leota and Veronica Hall, Pauline and Kathleen Jones, Clara Taylor, Charlotte Logan, Ethel and Florence Pauline Kaufman, Harold, Vincent, Victor and Haldane Gray, Austin Felton, Wayne, Thompson, Horace and Frank Jones, Frederick Breit, Doyle Logan, Harold Kaufman, Lavelle Yetter, Drexel Morgan, Delos Collins, Cary Nye, John and Harold Overman and Arthur Walters.

"Wishing Well" Shower.

A pretty compliment extended to a July bride-elect, Miss Grace Louise Sturm, was a "wishing well" shower given her this afternoon by Miss Anna Bainum and Miss Allie Jean Fraser at the Bainum home, on East Fourth street. Yellow and white were used decoratively and card games occupied the afternoon. Luncheon was served from the small game tables. The guests, which were limited to intimate friends of the honored guest, included, beside Miss Sturm, Mrs. Dale Bellows, Mrs. Will Phares, Mrs. Cleve J. Funk, Miss Kathryn Kuchs, Miss Eleanor Smith, Miss Marie Reuillard, Miss Martha Koch, Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow, Miss Marie Wells, Miss Glen Hotchkiss, Miss Hildred Hanna, Miss Ruth Matter, Miss May Growney, Miss Neva Airy and Miss Ruth Montgomery. The hostesses were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. E. H. Bainum and Mrs. Elmer Fraser.

TO HOLD TOWN PICNIC.

Parnell People Arrange for a Three Days Celebration in August.

Parnell will have a town picnic which will be held there three days, August 19, 20 and 21. The plans for the event have not been fully detaield yet. The general committee appointed to make arrangements is composed of E. F. Klaas, W. N. Morgan and Chas. Evans. Special entertainment will be provided for each day of the picnic.

"I Don't Feel Good"

That is what a lot of people tell us. Usually their bowels only need cleansing.

Rexall Orderlies

will do the trick and make you feel fine. We know this positively. Take one tonight. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

DISMISS ASSAULT CHARGE.

City Didn't Have Enough Evidence to Prosecute Kelley.

William Kelley, charged with having assaulted Mrs. Bertha Reynolds, in a fight at the Reynolds home last Sunday, was released from the charge by the city this morning, when the case was called for trial. The case was dismissed because of insufficient evidence on which to convict him. He has been out on bond since his arrest.

WORST SINCE 1881.

Hamburg People Striving to Save Railroad Grade.

Hamburg, Ia., July 16.—Nishna river continues to rise. The water has reached the highest stage since 1881.

The territory south of Hamburg is several feet below water level, being protected by railroad grade, which has broken through several times. A large number of men are out working to hold it back. All those living on the river side of the track were forced to move out last evening. Those on the protected side are moving their goods upstairs or to other higher places of safety in anticipation of a fresh break at any moment.

H. L. Haines Returns.

Harvey L. Haines arrived in Maryville at noon today, after an absence from the city since Sunday. Mr. Haines left Sunday morning for Eldorado, Kan., where he visited until Tuesday night with his brother, Forrest Haines, and family. Since that time he has been marooned in St. Joseph, and returned to Maryville today, arriving at noon with E. H. Bainum, who drove from Savannah.

Woman Lawyer Forsakes Bar.

Miss Alta Miller of Shenandoah, a member of the Page county, Iowa, bar, deserted the legal profession yesterday for matrimony. She was married to Carl L. Schick of Columbus, O.

Horace Jones Very Ill.

Horace Jones of Parnell, who has been ill for some time, is in a serious condition at present and has been for several days.

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Warm Weather and Outing Clothes

$6.50 ***For Palm Beach Wash Suits.*** Cold water shrunk, rustless buckles and buttons, Sewn with Silk, will retain their shape. Tan, Gray, Stripes and Checks

$6.50 ***For English Mohair Suits*** With Patch Pockets—and Un—lined—All colors.

$5.00 ***For Outing Suits--***in Panama and "Kool Kloth" Excellent qualities, many Colors.

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Company

Telephone Poles

The excessive rains have ruined many telephone poles, in the past few months, and as we are cleaning out our stock of white cedar, we offer you the following poles, in good condition, and while they last, at these very greatly reduced prices:

9 Poles—5-in. top, 14 ft. long	$ .65
12 Poles—6-in. top, 14 ft. long	.75
7 Poles—5-in. top, 16 ft. long	.75
42 Poles—6-in. top, 16 ft. long	.90
6 Poles—5-in. top, 18 ft. long	1.00
26 Poles—6-in. top, 18 ft. long	1.20
8 Poles—7-in. top, 20 ft. long	1.75
9 Poles—6.in. top, 10 ft. long	.50
10 Poles—7.in. top, 8 ft. long, anchor posts	.45
15 Poles—8-in. top, 8 ft. long, anchor posts	.70

E. C. Phares Lumber Company
EAST SIDE SQUARE

P. S. We also have a complete stock of red cedar poles. The prices are right of course.

USE PURE WATER ON PICNIC

By Dr. E. J. Carlson.

The picnic season has begun. Every alluring spot for miles around in the vicinity of the towns and cities will be the mecca for pleasure seekers from now until frost comes. Almost everybody attends a picnic sometime during the season. Now that the automobile has made even the remote districts readily accessible for city dwellers, the number of urban residents who seek an occasional day's relaxation in the country has tremendously increased.

Nobody thinks of going on a picnic without taking a generous supply of food, but few people are far sighted enough to carry their drinking water. Some spring, brook or farmers well they feel will be sure to supply this essential. As a result of this indiscriminate dependence upon unfamiliar sources of water supply, there are hundreds of pleasure seekers who contract typhoid fever every season.

That period of the year when typhoid fever is always most prevalent is that at the end and immediately following the vacation season. While this is not alone the result of picnics they unquestionably play an important part in this annual toll of sickness and death.

It is not a difficult matter if one is taking an auto trip to carry a supply of drinking water from a source that is known to be uncontaminated. Moderate priced vacuum bottles or other containers can be secured which will keep the water cool.

If a local water supply with which one is unfamiliar must be used, boiling the water for twenty minutes will make it safe. Unfortunately clear water is by no means always pure water. Many a sparkling crystal clear roadside spring is open to pollution and no matter how attractive the little brooklet which bubbles along under the overhanging trees may appear, one must needs follow it to its source to be certain that it is free from contamination. So for safety's sake carry your drinking water in the picnic basket.

Church Team Plays Sunday.

The Pickering Sunday school base ball team will probably play Parnell at Pickering Sunday afternoon. If the visiting team cannot reach Pickering it will probably go to Hopkins for a game.

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NG POON CHEW OF CHINA.

THIS noted scholar, editor, orator and educator is to appear here at Chautauqua to deliver his great lecture on "China and Her Problems." He is perhaps the best equipped man in America for this task. He was for many years closely associated with the leading men of his native country and knows first hand the real life of her people and the problems that are being encountered by the new republic. He is an eloquent orator and speaks English with fluency and grace.

Philadelphia has appropriated $6,000,000 toward the construction of rapid transit system. Half of this amount was awarded toward the construction of a subway tube under Broad street and the remaining $3,000,000 for work on an elevated road in the northeastern section.

Many Hear Band Concert.

The weekly concert of the Fourth Regiment band on the court house lawn last night was well attended, several rigs from out of town being in the conglomeration of automobiles, buggies and wagons about the square.

Canton, Ohio, has a high school that conducts an employment bureau, and during last summer's vacation the high school boys and girls received in wages in their various positions gained by means of this over $21,000.

SCHILDKRET IS COMING BACK

Talented Leader of Famous Hungarian Orchestra to Visit Chautauqua Again.

THE ONE AND ONLY SAM.

A Unique Leader Who Makes Hit With His Talk as Well as With His Music—Music In Abundance His Motto.

It will be good news to the Chautauqua patrons to learn that Sam Schildkret, with his great Hungarian Orchestra, comes back to Chautauqua this year. It will be remembered that he made the entire Redpath-Vawter System last year and was universally

invited to return to give the people another one of his famous programs this summer.

Schildkret's Orchestra is famous not alone for the high grade music it produces, but for the wonderful variety in its repertory. Sam has also distinguished himself as a hardworking leader, and it is doubtful whether there is another leader in the country who will make as many responses to encores as this good natured leader does. He seems to enjoy his own programs to the limit, and this adds very greatly to the enjoyment of the audience.

Schildkret will be remembered as the talking leader, and the people will again get as much fun as they choose from the many funny little speeches he makes with his announcements. Another big treat is in store for them when Sam Schildkret brings his Hungarian Orchestra to the Chautauqua.

Nodaway county is entitled to three military scholarships in the state university. Cadets so appointed who enter the college of agriculture, college of arts and sciences and school of engineering have free tuition and are exempt from payment of library, hospital and incidental fees. Application must be filed before August 1, 1915. See

CHARLES HYSLOP,
15-16 Representative.

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SLEEP MAKES YOU STUPID

Doctor Says 5 or 6 Hours Is Enough—Points to Illustrious Ones as Proof.

Most people sleep too much, believes Dr. S. W. Robinson of Kansas City, specialist in nervous diseases. Doctor Robinson has returned for m San Francisco, where he had been attending the American Medical Association convention and spoke on "Fear and Anxiety" as pertaining to the loss of sleep.

"The reason so many people are troubled with insomnia," said the doctor "is because they go to bed thinking and worrying about being unable to go to sleep. If they would go to bed saying: 'I'm going to bed now to rest awhile,' they would have no trouble going to sleep. You don't have to sleep to rest. If you go to bed to rest Nature will soon put you to sleep.

Worn Out By Fear.

"Instead of going to bed to rest they go to bed to sleep. If they can't go to sleep immediately they think they are going to die or go insane. It is the fear and anxiety about the possibility of not being able to sleep that wears a person out and not the los sof sleep.

"Six to eight hours is the average amount of sleep needed to keep a person healthy," continued the doctor. "Some people need more, but the vast majority of people sleep too much. While there is more danger in not getting enough sleep, too much sleep is a great waste of time and makes a person stupid."

Some Light Sleepers.

Doctor Robinson sleeps between five and six hours a night.

Napoleon, Frederick the Great, Schiller, Humboldt, Mirabeau and Thomas A. Edison are in the class of men who sleep only five and six hours.

President Wilson sleeps nine hours.

Of several other physicians interviewed nearly all said the average man needed eight hours of sleep and the more the better.

Another physician is of the opinion that few persons sleep too much. "Eight hours is the normal sleep," he said, "although some get along on less. I have always held the view that one-third of the twenty-four of the day should be put in in sleep."

Others Doctors Disagree.

"Eight hours is the average amount of sleep for a grown person," says a doctor. "Ten hours would be better. Children need more and ought to have ten hours regularly. Old people sleep the least of all.

"Dozing is not beneficial to health. Either sleep or be up. When you wake up in the morning you ought to get up—it is a signal that you are rested and that Nature wants you to get up and tend to your work."

Still another Kansas City doctor believes seven hours of sound sleep sufficient for most mental workers. Manual workers require more, he said, as there is a greater destruction of muscular tissue.

If You

are troubled with heartburn, gases and a distressed feeling after eating take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal and you will obtain prompt relief. Sold only by us, 25c

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

New York City is launched upon a program of city planning, which means the initiation and orderly development of those improvements in city life which good business demand and which make for happiness and well-being of residents.

Detroit is to purchase the Detroit street railway lines at a price to be fixed by the circuit court sitting in chancery.

High Cost of Building

There is much dissatisfaction in painting here and so much complaint of high cost. There is a reason. The reason is you contract with the builder and pay three profits for a cheap grade of work. One to the builder, one to the material man and one to the painter. You could save from 25 to 30 per cent by contracting direct with the painter. Our prices are, two-coat work, 14c square yard, paint included; paper hanging, 10c per roll, common lap work, border included; rooms varnished, $2.00 up; rooms enameled, $2.00 up; rooms papered, $3.50 up, paper included.

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Judge Manford Schoonover For Chautauqua With Appeal For Clean Living

A FEARLESS ADVOCATE.

A Man's Man With a Man's Message. He Has Seen Both Sides of Life and Talks Straight From the Heart and to the Heart.

The announcement that Judge Manford Schoonover of Kansas will appear on the Chautauqua platform here ought to be received with interest and enthusiasm. He is one of the strong men of that Progressive state, and he has come up through all sorts of hardships and difficulties to occupy a high place in the councils of the people.

Judge Schoonover is distinctly a man's man. He has a message which particularly appeals to men. He is one of the great forces in the strong

fight that is being put up for a clean straightforward life, and the strength and virility of the man add wonderfully to the force of his message.

Judge Schoonover will appear on the opening day. He was placed in that position with the thought that his great address would give the Chautauqua a good sendoff. He ought to be greeted with a great audience—first, because he has a great message, and, second, because the people themselves should give evidence of knowing a good thing when they see it.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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CHIROPRACTOR.
No drugs, no knife. Chronic cases a specialty. Over Ashford's millinery.

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ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company
Maryville, Mo.

Guess Work Is DANGEROUS In Fitting Glasses

The old way of fitting glasses by guessing at the kind needed was often more harmful than going without them. NO GUESS WORK NOW. I submit the test, the correction, and the cost to you before you are asked to pay a single cent. You take no risk nor incur any obligation by coming to me about your eyes.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Farris place, adjoining Normal grounds; 6 large rooms, garden, pasture, fruit. Vacant. J. T. Hays.

FOR RENT—3 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 207 South Buchanan. 14-16

TAKEN—From in front of Remus' store, gold headed umbrella. Reward. Return to G. B. Holmes, Jr., at Remus grocery. 14-16

LOST—Gold watch, F. O. M. engraved in back of case. Return to this office. Reward. 15-17

FOR SALE—Four-cylinder model 10 Buick roadster, in good condition. R. G. Sanders. 15-17

Wall Paper
ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE DURING JULY
7½c a roll up
ARNETT'S

MILL CREEK NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davis spent Sunday visiting Lester Williamson and family.

Herman Vail spent Sunday visiting his uncle, Elmer Swaney, and family.

Mrs. Will Larrabee and family spent Friday visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie VanFossen.

Harry Vail spent Saturday at Braddyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vail and daughter, Bessie, were guests of a Sunday dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. William Watson.

Mrs. Harry Williamson and baby spent Saturday the guests of Leslie Williamson and family.

Chicago, in pursuance to its stupendous conception of the future, is blazing Michigan avenue through from Rudolph street to Chicago avenue at a cost of over $8,000,000. Steps for a wide Twelfth street boulevard from the lake to the city limits are under way.

Swinging Stage for Painting Houses, Barns, Windmills, Silos

If there is anyone having this kind of work, I will satisfy you both in price and work.
JOHN LUND Farmers phone 17

Everblooming Roses

Nice Pot Grown Plants for planting out in July and August, 35c each; 3 for $1; $3.50 per dozen. Boston Joy the kind that grow on stone or brick and hardy as an oak, nice pot grown plants 25c each. When You Think of Flowers, Think of

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INDIVIDUAL SERVICE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

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This bank wants your business, because we believe in progress and growth and are frank in saying, the way to get it, is to go after it.

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